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LOCAL NEWS.

If you see it in the Townsman, it's news to be relied upon; if it is news and so, you'll see it in the Townsman.

Miss Nellie Nolan is confined to the house by illness.

The barber shops will be closed all day Monday, Memorial day.

A. F. Smith of Somerville has entered the employ of Valpey Bros.

Mr. and Mrs. Delano Luce are visiting at the home of Henry McLawlin on Main street.

Charles Karcher has gone to Providence, R. I., where he has secured a position.

John Tarbox of Worcester, formerly of this town visited friends here on Monday.

The next meeting of the Natural History society will be held on Saturday evening, June 4.

Hardy & Cole are hurrying the work on the McKee Memorial building, having 15 men on the job.

William P. Rea is again able to be about after being confined to the house for the past few months.

The second degree was worked at a meeting of Andover lodge, No. 230, I. O. O. F., on Wednesday evening.

Dr. William S. Lunan of Southbridge, a former resident of Andover, renewed former acquaintances here last Friday.

The exterior of the Town house is receiving a fresh coat of paint this week. Henry C. Hitchcock & Co., are doing the work.

At a session of probate court held at Newburyport on Monday an administration was granted on the estate of the late Egbert C. Smyth.

John Collins has entered the employ of T. A. Holt & Co., as hostler, J. A. Collins the former stable keeper being transferred to the store.

The Pearson street baseball team defeated the Young Princeton, Saturday by a score of 9 to 5. Collins' pitching was the feature of the Pearsons.

The Pearson street baseball team will play any team from 9 to 13 years of age. Send cards or letters to Daniel Duane, 22 Pearson street, Andover, Mass.

On Sunday evening the local lodges of Odd Fellows and Rebekahs will attend worship in the Free church. An appropriate sermon will be delivered by the pastor, Rev. F. A. Wilson.

Alexander Ritchie will participate in the races of the New England Canoe association which are to be held at Manchester, N. H., next Monday. He will sport the Lawrence Canoe club colors.

The Means Prize Speaking Competition will be held in the Seminary church, next Tuesday evening, at 7.45 o'clock. The prizes will be \$20, \$12 and \$8, respectively. The public is cordially invited.

Harry G. Saunders, a former member of the Andover Cricket club, now playing with Providence gave an exhibition of bowling which has seldom been seen in that section, taking eight wickets for 25 runs.

Prompt treatment of a slight attack of Diarrhoea will often prevent a serious sickness. The best known Remedy is Dr. Seth Arnold's Balsam. Your apothecary, Albert W. Lowe, warrants it to give satisfaction.

Parents interested in the possible formation of a select sloyd class in July and August for boys and girls between the ages of ten and sixteen, will kindly send their names to Edward T. Hall, 43 Bartlett street, before June 10th.

William H. Welch has secured the contract to do the plumbing, heating etc., in a large residence to be erected at Little Boar's Head, N. H., for Miss Gillman of Boston. This is to be a magnificent summer home and one of the most costly at this beach.

The contract for the plumbing, heating and installing of a Rider & Ericsson engine and fixtures for a summer residence for Miss Ida Folsom of Boston, at Stratham, N. H., has been awarded to Wm. H. Welch.

Mrs. William M. Wood (nee Ayer) of Commonwealth avenue and Fairfield street, and the Misses Rosalind and Irene and Masters William, M. Jr., and Cornelius Ayer Wood, sail for France on the 31st of this month on the Steamer "Kronprinz Wilhelm" from New York, to be gone until late in the fall.

William A. Allen was bitten by a pet squirrel at his home Monday and it is feared by his attending physician that blood poisoning will set in. The little animal had escaped from the cage in which it is confined and after considerable trouble it was caught. The wound is quite painful and it will be several days before he will be able to use his hand.

A very pleasant surprise party was tendered Malcolm McTernan at his home on Florence street, last Saturday evening by about twenty-five of his young friends. In behalf of the gathering Ralph Upton presented him with a handsome dress-suit case bearing his initials. Whilst was enjoyed during the early part of the evening and four were the recipients of prizes for scoring the most points. Refreshments were served and after dancing and games were participated in the party broke up, having spent a very enjoyable evening.

Memorial day is observed by 36 out of 46 states in the union.

Ralph Upton has severed his connection with the bakery of J. P. West & Co.

Punchard and Reading high are contesting on the local grounds this afternoon.

Mrs. Fred Smith is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph F. Cole on Elm street.

Mrs. C. A. Chase of Whiting, Me., is visiting her sister, Mrs. Wendell P. Jenkins on Elm street.

Miss Mary Lunan, a former resident of town, is spending a few days here with relatives and friends.

Hardy & Cole are making extensive alterations and repairs on the Grovesnor estate on Essex street.

Mr. and Mrs. Carrol Hancock, of Malden, Mass., were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Jenkins, Sunday.

A large party of young ladies from Abbot Academy enjoyed a brake ride to Bald Pate on Tuesday evening.

Mrs. Elizabeth Midgely, who for many years conducted a candy store in Abbot Village center, is seriously ill.

The contract for the plumbing, heating and gas fitting for Harry A. Ramsdell's house on Whittier street has been awarded to William H. Welch.

The Courteous Circle will meet in the vestry of the South church, Thursday evening at 7.45. Subject, "Things to think about during the summer."

Miss Lizzie Whittemore, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph W. Whittemore has been confined to her home on Salem street this week with an attack of German measles.

The special train for Exeter which will convey the local people will leave the station tomorrow at 1 o'clock. Price of round trip ticket, \$1.

Many members of Indian Ridge lodge of Rebekahs attended a salad supper given by Penelope lodge of Rebekahs in North Andover on Monday evening. The local sisters were guests of the North Andover lodge.

The regular meeting of the Andover Mother's club will be held June 3rd at 3 p. m. A full attendance is desired, as the annual election of officers will take place, and important business matters will be brought before the club.

As the Punchard school baseball team are unable to use their grounds, as a special act of courtesy the Ballardvale baseball association granted them the use of their grounds this afternoon when they will play Reading High school.

The choir of the Free church were pleasantly entertained at the home of the choir master Edwin Booth, in Lawrence, last Friday evening. The evening was spent in playing games and singing, after which dainty refreshments were served. A very pleasant time was enjoyed by all.

The Foreign Department of the Free Church Ladies' Benevolent society will hold their last meeting of the season at the parsonage this evening. It will be observed as a "Thank Offering" meeting and "Gentlemen's Night." Appropriate to the winter's study of "China and the Chinese," a Chinese lunch will be served.

Andover lodge No. 230, I. O. O. F. and Indian Ridge Rebekah lodge, No. 136, will hold memorial services at the Free church on Sunday evening at 7 o'clock, on invitation of the pastor, Rev. Mr. Wilson. All Odd Fellows are requested to meet at the lodge room at 6.30 to march to the church. The Rebekahs will also assemble at the lodge rooms at 6.30 and march to the church. All members who have badges at home are requested to wear them.

An important meeting of members of Lincoln lodge, A. O. U. W., was held in their hall on Monday evening. Most of the members of the order were present and listened to a thrilling address by Judge Sleeper of Natick who told them many particulars of the great crisis which the lodge is now passing through. He encouraged the members to work hard and keep the lodge up to the standard and he believed that the order would be stronger than ever.

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Punchard and Reading cross bats this afternoon.

Many Andover people attended the Fourpaugh & Sells Bros. circus in Lawrence last evening.

Repairs are being made by Hardy & Cole for Mrs. A. N. Holt in Andover and North Andover.

Tea at the club house of the Andover Golf club tomorrow at 4 p. m. All members of the club invited.

There will be no meeting of the Girls' Friendly society of Christ church next Monday as it is Memorial Day.

Alexander Crockett is again able to be out having sufficiently recovered from his severe accident of last winter.

Malcolm McTernan has completed his studies for the year at Tufts Medical school and is spending his vacation in town.

The regular monthly meeting of the Andover Cricket club will be held in the club house next Tuesday evening at 8 o'clock.

Several local scholars participated in the piano recital of Miss Annie Tschander which was held in Lawrence last evening.

The Union baseball team will play the strong Lewis mill team of Lawrence tomorrow afternoon on the old P. A. campus. Admission will be ten cents.

The speaking in the Barnard prize competition will be held in Punchard hall on Friday evening, June 3, at 7.45. All friends of the school are cordially invited to be present.

A break in the engine of the Marland mill Tuesday caused a temporary shut down of a portion of the plant. Repairs were made during the afternoon so that work could be resumed Wednesday morning.

The Andover pupils of Mrs. Willis G. Parmelee, violinist, went to Newton Centre Wednesday to participate in the annual recital of all her pupils, which was held in the Newton Centre Unitarian church.

This evening the closing meeting of the Foreign Department of the Free Church Ladies' Benevolent Society will be held at the parsonage and will be observed as gentlemen's night. Mrs. Edward Y. Hineks will deliver an address.

The upright shaft of a derrick which was being placed in position at the rear of the John Dove school for use in erecting the new heating plant, fell last Saturday afternoon. The fall was caused by the failure to make fast all the guy ropes. A substitute was placed in position on Monday.

The Philomathean society of Phillips Academy will hold a mock trial this evening in Society hall. The court will be composed of the following: Judge, McMurtry; prosecuting attorney, Olmstead; attorney for defense, Kennedy; Schaffer is charged with swiping Cheever's shoe store and assaulting Mr. Cheever with intent to kill.

Mrs. Sarah French Abbott passed her eighty-fourth birthday on Wednesday, the 25th. Her daughters, Mrs. Babbitt, Mrs. Perkins of Hampton, N. H., and Mrs. Clark of Andover, were with her, as also her son, Mr. John Abbott, and wife, of Taunton, and other friends called to congratulate her on another birthday and her excellent health.

The Andover Cricket club will play the Lawrence second eleven tomorrow afternoon on the local crease, the game starting at three o'clock. Following is the Andover team: J. Gordon, capt., S. Fraser, Rhodes, H. Callaghan, J. Barrett, J. Holt, W. McKenzie, A. Watson, J. Callum, W. Sterling, A. Anderson.

Milton Wood who is well known in town where he has spent many vacations with relatives, died on Tuesday evening in Boston, after a short illness with typhoid pneumonia. He is survived by a brother, Bruce Wood, an aunt, Mrs. Helen Biddock and four cousins in this town. The funeral was held today and interment will be at Stoughton, his former residence. The deceased was 27 years of age.

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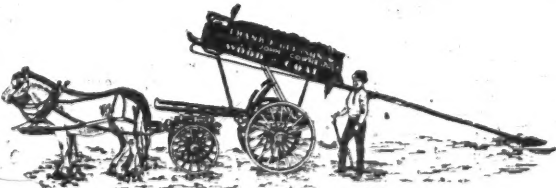
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BALLARDVALE.

UNION CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH, Rev. Augustus H. Fuller, pastor. Services for Sunday, May 29.

10.30 a. m. Union Memorial Services at the Methodist church.

7.00 p. m. Union C. E. meeting.

7.30 p. m. Thursday evening, prayer meeting.

METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH, Rev. Frank H. Hall, pastor. Services for Sunday, May 29.

10.30 a. m. Union Memorial service.

8.00 p. m. Epworth League.

7.00 p. m. Praise service with address by pastor.

7.30 p. m. Thursday evening, prayer meeting.

Florence Mott has been ill with bronchitis.

Charles Bogan is in Plymouth on a business trip.

W. E. Clark of Lowell road, has moved to South Berlin, Mass.

Miss Nellie Joyce of Winchester is visiting relatives in the Vale.

Arthur Smith of Milford spent Sunday with friends in the Vale.

Harry F. Marland and family spent Sunday with relatives in Lowell.

Miss Pearl Nason visited friends in Methuen last Friday and Saturday.

Mrs. Elizabeth Morrison of Allston spent Wednesday with relatives in the Vale.

William Troutman has accepted a position with Symonds & Co., printers of Boston.

John Higgins of Manchester, N. H., was visiting relatives in the Vale last Saturday.

T. W. Chase of Hanover, N. H., was the guest Monday of Mr. and Mrs. Willis B. Hodgkins.

Mrs. Julia Harnden has been the guest for several days of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Clemons.

Melville Stevens of Reading was the guest last Friday of C. N. Marland, Chester street.

The Methodist Ladies' Aid society will meet at the parsonage this evening at 7.30 o'clock.

Edward Newcomb and family moved into Harry Kibbee's house on Lowell road, Thursday.

Mrs. Lewis Clark was called to Dedham suddenly by the severe illness of her brother, Charles Barron.

A number of the Vale pupils of Miss Annie Tschander played at her recital in Lawrence, Thursday evening.

Miss Helen A. Hodgkins and Warren Kendall are the guests of the former's brother, Willis B. Hodgkins.

John Clinton and family of Andover have moved into Miss Lizzie E. Salmon's house on Andover street.

Albert Jameson and Miss Fannie Campbell of Boston, were the guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Horan.

Mrs. Orrin Baker and daughters, Flossie and Lilah, of Huntington Centre, Vt., are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Holmes Bates.

Thomas Lawrence met with quite a painful accident to the forefinger of his right hand while at work in Andover last week.

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Chamberlain of Worcester were the guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. John Greenwood, Dale street.

The Ballardvale Juniors were defeated by the Five Points of Lawrence, Saturday afternoon in a well played contest by a score of 3-2.

Mrs. W. L. Roberts of Canton, Me., and Miss Crystal Bonny of Hartford, Me., have been the guests for several days of Rev. and Mrs. Frank H. Hall.

The Independence Drum corps made quite a fine appearance last Saturday afternoon, while they were escorting the ball teams to and from the ball grounds.

The many Vale friends of the late Miss Mary Louise Tuck will be sorry to learn of her death, which occurred in Sharon, May 23, at the age of 42 years, 4 months, 17 days. The funeral took place last Wednesday at the Massachusetts Crematory chapel.

Ballardvale will play the Y. M. C. A. of North Andover on the Plains Saturday afternoon at three o'clock, and will play the Y. M. C. A. of Lawrence on the Plains next Monday afternoon at 2.30 o'clock. The team has been strengthened and good games can be expected.

Special Union Memorial services will be held at the Methodist church next Sunday forenoon at 10.30 o'clock. Delegations from the local G. A. R. post, the Woman's Relief Corps and the Sons of Veterans will be present. Rev. Augustus H. Fuller will have charge of the order of services and Rev. Frank H. Hall will preach the sermon.

At the meeting of Ballardvale Lodge No. 405, held last Monday evening the following named persons were elected delegates and alternates to Essex District Lodge, which meets with Mountain Hill Lodge of Newburyport, June 17: Delegates: Mrs. J. H. Smith, Mrs. Millie B. Hammond, Daniel H. Poor; alternates: Miss Eva C. Brackett, Roy Pearson, Mrs. Roy M. Haynes.

Obituary.

MISS ANNE MAYCOCK.

Miss Annie Maycock, a former resident of the Vale died quite suddenly at the home of her niece Mrs. Timothy Linnihan of Haverhill. While the deceased did not live for a great length of time in Ballardvale she was well known here, having many friends all of whom sincerely mourn her loss. She was an upright, devout and self-sacrificing woman. The funeral was held in the Catholic church in Amesbury, Thursday forenoon, interment in the Catholic cemetery, Amesbury.

BASEBALL.

BLUESTOCKINGS 14; BALLARDVALE 4.

Ballardvale was defeated in their opening game of the season Saturday afternoon on the Plains, by the Bluestockings of North Andover, by a score of 14 to 4.

The home team played very loosely in the field showing their lack of practice. The catching of Hennessey and the out-fielding of J. Wheatley were features of the game. The batting and steady playing at critical times, notably in the second inning when with one out and the bases full the next two men were retired and no runs scored, made it comparatively easy for the visitors to score a well earned victory. The score:

BALLARDVALE.

	ab	r	b	h	tb	po	a	e
O'Donnell, 3b	4	1	1	1	2	3		
Burns, 2b	5	0	0	0	3	1	3	
Platt, 1b	5	1	2	2	5	0	2	
Hennessey, c	5	0	0	0	13	4	0	
Dearborn, lf	4	0	2	2	0	0	0	
Wheatley, rf	4	1	1	1	2	1	0	
McKeon, rf	1	1	0	0	0	1		
McIntyre, ss	4	0	2	2	3	2	4	
Doyle, p	4	0	0	0	1	2		

Totals 39 4 8 8 27 11 15

BLUESTOCKINGS.

	ab	r	b	h	tb	po	a	e
Clements, lf	6	2	3	3	1	0	1	
F. Mackie, 3b	6	1	3	3	1	1	1	
Geaney, 1b	5	1	1	1	8	1	0	
Kelley, c	6	2	2	2	10	2	0	
Demings, ss	5	1	1	1	1	1	0	
Greenwood, rf	5	1	2	2	1	1	1	
D. Mackie, m	5	3	2	2	0	0	1	
Hargreaves, 2b	5	1	0	0	4	1	1	
Curley, p	5	2	0	0	1	4	0	

Totals 48 14 14 14 27 11 15

Innings 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9

Bluestockings 0 0 0 4 1 3 0 2-14

Ballardvale 1 0 0 2 1 0 0 0-4

Summary.—Struck out by Doyle 10, by Curley 10. Bases on balls by Curley 4. First base on errors Bluestockings 12, Ballardvale 4. Left on bases Bluestockings 5, Ballardvale 9. Hit by pitched ball, Geaney. Passed balls, Kelley, Hennessey. Umpire, Fred Stark.

Kelley, Hennessey. Umpire, Fred Stark.

PHILLIPS ANDOVER 1; ST. PAUL'S 0.

In a remarkably sharp fielding game Phillips Andover defeated St. Paul's school (Garden City) nine to 0 on Brother's field Saturday afternoon.

It was a pitcher's battle mainly and R. W. Brown of Andover triumphed over Bowman, St. Paul's clever left hand twirler.

Although Bowman pitched splendid ball and prevented Andover from batting in runs his wildness in the second inning was responsible for Andover's run.

After two were out Dillon hit the first single of the game. This disconcerted Bowman who gave Cushman four bad ones. Relly also walked and Dillon was forced to third. R. W. Brown also drew a pass and Dillon walked across the plate with what proved to be the winning run.

Brown pitched a great game for Andover, allowing only one hit. Only two of the visitors got to first, Bowman on a hit and Bissell on a base on balls. Bowman was forced out at second and Bissell went to third.

Both teams accepted all fielding chances. Cushman did splendid work at short for Andover, accepting seven chances, several being difficult. Clough batted hard and ran bases well. Kinney made a pretty sacrifice hit, sending Clough from first to third.

Bowman and Buck felled well for St. Paul's school. Whittaker caught Dillon's fly to right after a long throw.

The score:

PHILLIPS ANDOVER.

	ab	r	b	h	tb	po	a	e
Schildmiller lf	3	0	0	0	1	0	0	
Clough 1b	4	0	3	3	14	0	0	
Kinney c	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	
R. C. Brown	4	0	0	0	10	0	0	
Murphy cf	3	0	1	1	1	0	0	
Dillon rf	3	1	1	1	1	0	0	
Cushman ss	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Relly 2b	2	0	0	0	1	2	0	
R. W. Brown p	2	0	0	0	0	4	1	

Totals 26 1 5 5 27 13 1

ST. PAUL'S.

	ab	r	b	h	tb	po	a	e
Bowman p	4	0	1	1	2	4	0	
Wheaton 3b	4	0	0	0	1	0	0	
Bissell 1b	2	0	0	0	10	0	0	
Clough ss	3	0	0	0	2	0	0	
Ward lf	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Whitehead c	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Whittaker rf	3	0	0	0	1	0	0	
Buck 2b	3	0	0	0	0	3	0	
Schoolfield c	3	0	0	0	8	1	0	

Totals 28 0 1 1 24 8 0

Innings 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9

Andover 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0-0

St. Paul's 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0-0

Bases on balls, by Brown, Bissell; by Bowman, Cushman, Relly, R. W. Brown. Struck out by Brown, Bowman, Wheaton, Bissell, Ward, Whitehead, Buck 2, Schoolfield 2; by Bowman, Schildmiller 3, R. C. Brown, Cushman 2, Relly, R. W. Brown 2.

Hit by pitched ball, Schildmiller. Stolen bases, Clough, Kinney, Dillon. Umpire, Clarkson. Time, 1 hr. 35 min.

P. A. 1; MASS. STATE COL. 0.

Phillips Andover won another close game on Brother's field Tuesday, defeating the Massachusetts State college team 1 to 0.

The only run of the game was made in the second inning by Murphy who drew a base on balls, was advanced to second by Dillon, and scored on a wild throw by Martin, who attempted to complete a double play.

Andover made only two hits off Kennedy and the five hits made off Hargreaves were scattered.

O'Brien made a three base hit, but was thrown out at the plate while trying to stretch the hit into a home run. Cushman helped Schildmiller in with the ball and made a beautiful throw to the plate.

Both teams fielded sharply. Clough, Kinney and Cushman excellent for Andover.

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Andover, and Ahern and O'Hern for the visitors.

The score:

PHILLIPS ANDOVER.

	ab	r	b	h	tb	po	a	e
Schildmiller lf	2	0	0	0	1	1	0	
Clough 1b	3	0	1	1	1	0	0	
Kinney 2b	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	
R. C. Brown	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Murphy cf	2	1	0	0	0	0	0	
Dillon rf	2	0	0	0	1	0	0	
Cushman ss	2	0	0	0	3	4	0	
Relly 2b	3	0	0	0	2	1	0	
Hall p	2	0	1	0	3	0		

Totals 22 1 2 2 24 13

MASS. STATE COLLEGE.

	ab	r	b	h	tb	po	a	e
Ahern 3b	4	0	1	1	3	2	0	
Hunt cf	4	0	0	0	3	2	0	
O'Hern 2b	4	0	0	1	3	4	0	
Gregg lf	4	0	0	1	1	0	0	
Quigley c	3	0	1	1	2	0	0	
Ingram 1b	3	0	1	1	6	0	0	
Martin ss	3	0	1	1	3	2	1	
Bullett rf	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Kennedy p	3	0	0	0	0	4	0	

Totals 30 0 5 7 21 13 1

Innings 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9

Andover 0 1 0 0 0 0 0 0-1

Mass. State 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0-0

Three base hits, O'Hern; bases on balls, by Kennedy, Schildmiller, Murphy, Cushman. Struck out by Hall, Hunt, Quigley, Martin, Bartlett, Kennedy; by Kennedy, Dillon; stolen bases, Gregg; umpire, Clarkson; time, 1 hr. 15 min.

ANDOVER-EXETER ENTRIES.

The annual dual meet of the Phillips Exeter and Phillips Andover academies in track and field athletics will be held on the Exeter campus at 2.30 p. m. next Saturday with these officials: F. N. Whittier of Bowdoin, referee; Carl Marshall of Harvard, 50 yd. Lightner and H. L. Williams, Tech. Inspectors; Mr. Von Schuckman, N. Y. A. A., Arthur Blake of Boston and G. B. Clark, B. A. A., judges at finish; P. M. Woolf, B. A. A., H. F. Chase of Andover and P. H. Hurley, Y. A. A., timers; J. E. Moran of Boston, clerk of course; H. F. Evans, Harvard and N. V. Bullinger of Andover, assistant clerks of course; H. McGrath, Charlesbank gymnasium, starter; P. M. Clark, Bowdoin, Prof. Nesbitt, New Hampshire college, E. Lindley, Tech. and C. H. Mohr, Harvard, field judges; H. E. Clark, Cornell, J. H. Leavitt, Tech., Prof. F. W. Rane New Hampshire college, and S. Hodge of Andover, measurers; B. J. Carr and A. T. Spring of Exeter, H. N. Humphreys and H. H. Ramsey of Andover, scorers; P. E. Von Schuckman, late of Exeter, announcer; Samuel A. Marx, Tech., custodian of prizes.

Following is the list of entries:

100 and 220-yard dashes.—Exeter, E. F. Annis, E. A. Clark, J. T. Hagan, R. Higgins, W. D. O'Brien, H. Schwab, Y. A. A., Andover, A. Y. Bartholomew, W. H. Bullock, H. T. Capen, E. L. Fouts, J. C. Thornton.

120-yard hurdle.—Exeter, M. B. Giddings, W. H. Sleeper, H. F. Whidden; Andover, E. Dillon, M. C. Peirce, P. Veeder.

220-yard hurdle.—Exeter, E. L. Greene, K. D. Godfrey, W. F. McKone, J. B. McCormick, H. F. Whidden; Andover, W. H. Bullock, E. Dillon, J. F. O'Donnell, C. W. Howard, R. K. Fletcher.

440-yard dash.—Exeter, G. H. Anson, C. A. Elliott, R. W. Hitchcock, W. D. O'Brien, R. C. Runyon; Andover, H. T. Capen, C. H. Chapin, E. L. Fouts, W. C. Love, E. L. McManus, J. C. Thornton.

880-yard run.—Exeter, E. Becker, W. I. Butterfield, E. H. Clement, R. W. Hitchcock, W. H. M. R. McVicar, M. Shohberg; Andover, F. J. Daley, J. F. O'Donnell, R. K. Fletcher, F. F. Friel, D. W. Forter.

1 mile run.—Exeter, W. D. Chamberlain, J. E. Gilroy, H. L. Morrison, G. E. Morse, Jr., H. M. R. McVicar; Andover, J. J. Daley, J. P. Dods, J. F. O'Donnell, W. Murchie, D. W. Porter.

High jump.—Exeter, M. B. Giddings, J. N. Peyton, W. H. Sleeper, C. F. White; Andover, F. P. Cavanaugh, R. Loomis, J. W. Marshall, P. Veeder.

Broad jump.—Exeter, E. L. Greene, G. A. Tilton, H. F. Whidden, C. F. White; Andover, A. Y. Bartholomew, W. H. Bullock, H. T. Capen, R. K. Fletcher, T. W. Orr.

Pole vault.—Exeter, O. V. Hersey, A. W. Rounsevell, C. J. Starkey, J. Andover, J. W. Marshall, J. W. Murphy, T. W. Orr, M. C. Peirce.

Shotput.—Exeter, H. M. Allen, E. J. Hart, J. B. McCormick, D. M. MacFadyen, C. E. Porter; Andover, W. H. Bullock, W. H. Anson, A. M. Sheldon, E. I. Thompson.

Hammer throw.—Exeter, D. M. MacFadyen, J. N. Peyton, C. E. Porter, W. E. Rider, M. R. Schaff; Andover, W. H. Andrews, W. H. Bullock, M. C. Peirce, F. S. Naething, E. I. Thompson.

SENATOR BEVERIDGE AS A LOGGER.

Senator Beveridge, author of "The Russian Advance," was a logger in early youth and at 16 was boss of a logging camp. It is said that to this day he is an expert logger. An amusing incident occurred during the last congressional campaign in Indiana. Senator Beveridge spoke at a certain town and was driving across country to make a train for the next appointment. At a point where the road crossed the railroad track the Senator found some men trying to load heavy logs on a flatcar. He told the driver to stop, and after watching the work for a moment, he said to the men in charge:

"You have those skids and chains fixed wrong, and you are checking that log wrong, too. If you do things that way, some of you will get hurt badly."

—Representing the interference of a stranger, the man replied:

"What the—do you know about it?"

"I will show you," said Senator Beveridge, getting out of his buggy. He then adjusted things properly, showing them the men were putting them selves in danger by a wrong method.

They watched rather sheepishly, but finding the stranger in the right, promptly acknowledged it and thanked him as he climbed back in his buggy. Thereupon the local politician who was driving the Senator told the men who it was to whom they were talking.

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COMMERCE and INDUSTRY

Commercial.

Marconi's Ocean Newspaper.

Signor Marconi, the inventor of wireless telegraphy, in view of the successful tests conducted during his recent trip to New York on the Campana, when he maintained communication with both continents all the way across, has announced the daily publication of the Marconigram and Oceanic News, to appear simultaneously on all ships of the Cunard line. His company has undertaken to furnish 200 words of news daily for such a newspaper on board each ship. Other lines are expected to follow suit.

Rubber Trust Shares Profits.
The annual report of the United States Rubber company not only shows an enormous gain in business since last year, with a total surplus of \$2,900,101 after paying 1 1/2 per cent dividends on preferred stock and reserving \$500,000 for depreciation in securities taken over in 1902, but proposes a sort of profit sharing scheme for 150 of its principal employees. This is similar to that now in force among the employees of the steel trust. Certificates are to be distributed among the employees so that they will become stockholders in the company, but the stock will be held in trust by a subsidiary company till 1908, when employees may take it up at \$45 for the preferred and \$10 for the common. If at any time an employee shall decide not to complete payments for said stocks he shall be entitled to receive his money back, with 6 per cent interest, in the meantime all dividends being paid to him as if he owned the stock.

May Wheat on the Jump.
In all the wheat exchanges of the west as well as on the Produce Exchange at New York the price of wheat has climbed many points during the past week. On the 20th of May wheat reached \$1.08 at St. Louis, \$1 at Chicago, \$1.00 at Toledo and 90 cents at New York.

Notes.
The plan of reorganization for the Consolidated Lake Superior company, with \$53,000,000 stocks and bonds offered to old shareholders, was announced May 17, and suit to restrain the company from putting it in operation was begun at New York by O. F. Daube, an old stockholder. The St. Louis world's fair has taken an insurance policy against accidents to individuals on the fair grounds.

Labor.

Fall River Line Strike.
The big boats of the Fall River and Providence lines, which handle an enormous freight and passenger traffic between New York city and New England points, were put out of business last week temporarily when the firemen started a sympathy strike for the striking freight handlers at the New York piers. The latter struck because the company refused to discharge an employee who does not belong to the union.

Morrison on Labor Unity.
Frank Morrison, general secretary of the American federation, told the New York Central Federated union that if workmen were to meet and resist the attacks of the citizens' alliances and employers' associations they must cultivate greater unity among unions, without regard to race, color or creed, and care as much for the common laborer as for the skilled mechanic.

Notes.
The nine bricklayers' unions of New York voted by a narrow majority, May 17, to amalgamate. * * * The Master Builders' and Trade unions of Patterson, N. J., have agreed upon a plan to arbitrate all future labor disputes.

Industrial.

Blessing of High Wages.
In his address before the ninth annual convention of the National Association of Manufacturers at Pittsburgh last week President David M. Parry said that high wages were a blessing and that employers would prefer to see their men highly paid rather than to see them struggle for a mere livelihood. But he thought that neither the employer nor the employee could affect the rate of wages either one way or the other except by seeking to increase the per capita production. How to increase the per capita production was therefore the first and greatest question of civilization. He did not think this was helped by the policy of organized labor in limiting the hours of labor and arbitrarily fixing the limit of wages.

The association favored the establishment of a tariff bureau under the department of commerce and labor to decide on tariff changes within limits prescribed by congress.
Cool Weather Delays Crops.
Agricultural operations everywhere, says the American Agriculturist, have been delayed this year by unseasonable weather conditions, but there is no evidence of any dangerous lateness in the starting of crops. Everything is late in proportion, and vegetation is about a month behind its normal growth. Better than an average crop of apples is promised if no further frosts come. Harvesting has already begun in the southern states, while seeding is unfinished in the northern section.

Big Steel Plant Closed.
The vast mills of Cambria Steel company at Johnstown, Pa., were closed May 19, and the mills at Conemaugh on the 21st for lack of business.

RELIGIOUS

Presbyterians Choose Moderator.
The Rev. J. Addison Henry of Philadelphia was chosen moderator of the Presbyterian General assembly upon its assembling at Buffalo May 19. This choice was made by a sort of stampede while the leading candidates were waiting for an advantage in the nomination. In his retiring sermon Moderator Coyle deplored the growth of socialism, the scramble for wealth and the vanishing sense of sin. He said the divorce system was no better than Mormonism.

To Retire Bishops on Age.
The Methodist general conference at Los Angeles has adopted the policy of retiring from active church work bishops incapacitated by age. This was applied by vote to Bishops Andrews of New York, Walden of Cincinnati, Vincent of Zurich, Switzerland, Mallalieu of Boston and Foss of Philadelphia. The conference also accepted the voluntary retirement of senior Bishop Merrill. Dr. Buckley, in presenting the report for this policy, said that it was done for love of the church. Heretofore Methodist bishops have had life tenure. Eight new bishops were selected to fill vacancies.

Notes.
A movement for an independent Christian church has been started in Japan. * * * The Vatican has announced the publication of the liturgical chants as restored by Pope Pius. * * * The new Episcopal monastery of the Holy Cross at West Park, on the Hudson, near Poughkeepsie, was dedicated May 19. * * * Dr. Walter Laidlaw estimates the total church membership of this country at 30,000,000. The Anglo-Saxon conception is still dominant. * * * Re-

cent Presbyterian revivals at Chicago, Pittsburgh and Columbus on the new plan of simultaneous meetings at many points in a given city have been remarkably successful. The general synod of the Presbyterian church met at Marrison, Ill., last week and decided to amalgamate with the Presbyterian church of the United States. * * * The annual convention of Baptists from northern states met at Cleveland, O.

EDUCATIONAL

Education and Wages.
The United States commissioner of education, W. T. Harris, follows up the advance notice of his annual report by asserting that the tangible effect of education is observed in increased incomes. He says the popular idea that thousands of college men are crowding the large cities and seeking employment in vain is a mistake, and that more persons hear about college bred men when they are seeking positions. The fact was that persons with a high school training earn \$1,000 a year, while those with a common school education only half as much and the illiterate about \$200. The college graduate averages about \$2,000 a year. The standard of success to which Mr. Harris' statistics are applied is that of eligibility to the list of 10,000 persons included in "Who's Who in America." Of these 10,000 now 24 are self taught, 278 home taught, 1,066 with common school training, 1,627 with high school training and 7,709 with college training. The A. B. degree man was found to be pre-eminent among the successful. These figures apply to men especially, and the report says that "education is practically woman's only door to eminence."

Carnegie Institute's New Name.
The board of trustees of the Carnegie Institute met at Washington on May 18 and effected a reorganization under the new name of "the Carnegie Institution of Washington." New bylaws were adopted and the same officers and committees elected.

Electrical Music For Masses.
Within the past few weeks several successful experiments have been made with the invention of Dr. Thaddeus Cahill of Washington, by which the transmission of musical harmonies from a central station by wire to points at a long distance is made possible. It does not claim to be the discovery of a new law in either acoustics or electricity, but merely a new application of established principles. He employs a keyboard resembling that of an upright piano, each key of which completes a long distance electric wire circuit so as to produce a tone at the other end of the wire upon a metallic disk. The volume of sounds thus transmitted may be made to fill a vast auditorium by merely turning a key. Already parties in Baltimore have listened to music created in Washington, and in Holyoke, Mass., where the laboratory is located, to music performed at New Haven, Conn. Dr. Cahill proposes to organize a great company for the purpose of exploiting his system so as to place the best music at the disposal of the public at moderate prices, just as light and heat are now furnished to communities.

Priest a Wireless Inventor.
The patent office has granted patents on two claims of a wireless telegraph system invented by Father Joseph Murgas of the Sacred Heart church at Wilkesbarre. It is claimed to be more simple and speedy in operation than that of Marconi, but its details are kept secret.

SOCIOLOGICAL

A New Red Cross Leader.
Miss Clara Barton resigned the presidency of the American Red Cross society, May 14, and Mrs. John A. Logan, vice president of the society, became its acting president. Miss Barton explains that she is weary of the work and is forced by her age to give it up. No reference was made to the existing split over her management, and it was presumed that the breach would be healed by her retirement. Miss Barton had been absolute master of the society for twenty-three years, being appointed by President Grfield.

A New Social Profession.
"The social secretary" as a new profession in the social service was the main subject of discussion before the American Institute of Social Service at New York, May 16. This position in big stores is designed to affect the lives of women practically, no matter how many hours of the day they may work out. The social secretary is to tell the shopgirls what to wear, how to dress and how to keep themselves tidy.

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GOOD GOLF AT THE VESPER CLUB.

LOWELL, May 24.—Thirty new players handed in cards in the qualifying round for the president's cup at the Vesper Country Club golf course today. The first 16 qualifying for match play. The gross scores were higher than usual by reason of sundry new bunkers that have been put up. The bogie for this course is 84, and although not a half dozen members ever played it in that score or less, their unconquerable golfing spirit sought for greater difficulties. Hence the best net score in this match was 89, made by Fred Grover, the club champion.

Player.	Gross.	cap.	Net.
C. L. Knapp	91	7	84
R. W. Thompson	104	18	86
A. H. Hingley	95	12	83
D. D. Bartlett	95	7	88
F. H. Grover	89	0	89
S. T. Whittier	101	12	89
J. Thorpe	96	7	90
E. Brooks	97	7	90
J. K. Whittier	101	10	91
A. K. Chadwick	97	18	91
C. H. Dutton	99	7	92
G. N. Norton	100	8	92
A. Ames	108	16	92
A. D. Butterfield	101	8	93
A. H. Morton	101	8	93
E. H. Scribner	119	16	93
C. A. Bowers	106	12	94
C. F. Harris	106	12	94
C. L. Humphrey	112	18	94
F. E. Stuart	102	7	95
W. E. Bissell	109	14	95
F. A. Stevens	116	20	96
J. Kerr	112	15	97
J. Smith	110	12	98
F. E. Bramhall	114	16	98
A. T. Safford	114	16	98
M. L. Paige	118	20	98
G. A. Place	110	12	98
W. Boynton	106	7	99
W. Drake	114	13	101
C. W. Fletcher	113	10	103
A. S. Coburn	113	18	103
C. Hookmeyer	113	8	105
C. F. Young	114	8	105
F. Leighton	117	10	107
A. M. Chadwick	119	12	107
W. F. Irish	122	14	105
J. Munn Andrews	128	16	112

NATURAL HISTORY SOCIETY OUTING.

The Lawrence Natural History society had a very enjoyable outing Saturday afternoon at the Butler farm, Jersey Hill, Pelham, N. H. The party consisting of 22 members left Lawrence on the 1:30 car, and after a walk of about two miles through a picturesque country, arrived at the old homestead of the Butler family where a cordial welcome was given them by Mrs. Butler and her son, Arthur M. Butler of the seventh generation in descent from John Butler, the first settler in Pelham, a memorial to whom stands in the square at Pelham Centre. Jersey Hill is the highest land in this vicinity, and was named for an Indian who lived and was buried at its foot.

The farm is situated on the slope of the hill and its broad meadows and fertile fields met the approval of Gov. John Endicott, its original proprietor. Some time was agreeably passed in inspecting under the guidance of the hostess, some of the priceless heirlooms, in the house, consisting of antique furniture and china, together with ancient books and documents. Among the latter was a deed of the property to John Butler in 1732, and a map of the farm on parchment of an early date. The party then walked to the top of Jersey Hill where an extensive view of the country clothed in the beauty of its spring coloring was enjoyed, and lunch was eaten. The return home was at the Butler farm, made the day one to be remembered, and all vote the outing a great success.

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Memorial Day.

There were fewer veterans to support the colors last year than the year before; there will be another thinning of the ranks next Monday as the "soldiers' day" returns again.

The march is up the hill now, with the goal near at hand. The steps will grow feebler and the marchers fewer with each succeeding Memorial Day, and it will be but a few years when the annual quickening of the pulse of patriotism will cease to beat to the veterans' drum. May we not well ask, will it beat as quick and true on the memory of the past, with the outward symbols gone, and with the inspiration of example missing?

Will the Nation continue to strive for the ripening of the fruits of the victory so dearly bought forty years ago, or will the lessons fail to accomplish all that their cost would demand? Aye, what will the harvest be when those who sowed shall reap no more?

Will it be universally claimed, as it now so frequently is, that the field was not ready, that the seed found little soil? Or will it be looked upon as the broader, fuller work of long years of plowing and harrowing with the seed time even not yet? If the latter, then let us remember on next Monday the men of '61, for the great work they did as workers in the field. American progress may not yet seem to reach its fullness in the setting of the great primary problem for which the Civil War was fought, but the harvest will surely come if the greatest part of that work, already done by the veterans whom we memorialize next week, shall be followed up by an inspired effort to continue to cultivate the field of American liberty, American loyalty, and American patriotism.

School Sessions.

We are informed, unofficially, that there is to be no change in the public school sessions for the present. We rather regret this decision in one respect, for we had hoped one change might be made, and that for a morning and afternoon session at Pynchard. The next best thing was to leave the whole situation exactly as it now is, and that the committee has decided to do.

The fact is, we are getting very near to an overloading of the sentimental side of education, which argues that the child cannot stand the strain of two long sessions of school, and that he needs more outdoor recreation in the spring of the year. One is led to inquire, in answer to this contention, what kind of men and women would be produced if this sort of mollicoddling held full sway? It isn't so many years since many children were in mills and workshops all or part time at twelve to sixteen years of age. By law and public sentiment this has changed, and wisely so, so that few of our youth are at work before the age of sixteen. But the idea of such advancement was to promote the education as well as the physical development of the boys and girls. Two sessions of school have for many years seemed to make an ideal balance for the average growing child. There are, undoubtedly, a few who feel the strain, but the vast majority have, and still do, thrive under this rule.

But there are other interests besides the child that demand consideration in settling the question of school sessions. The parents must be reckoned with and their wishes consulted. In towns like Andover the dinner hour is from twelve to one o'clock in most of the homes. The workers of the family can take no other hour for their dinner time, and the domestic affairs of the household call for the return of the children for their noonday meal at the same time. To fix any other time would mean increased work for many mothers who are now overworked, or improperly prepared food for the late comers.

Nor is that all. A thousand children on the streets every afternoon would not seem to make for a quieter town nor for a better disciplined young manhood and womanhood. Idleness easily breeds mischief for all ages, and to add to the idle hours of the growing boys and girls of Andover would be a serious mistake.

We sincerely hope that the present decision of the school committee will settle this question for a long time.

Editorial Cinders.

Today, as we go to press, the soldier whom so many Andover boys loved, the soldier whom a state honors, is receiving the homage of Massachusetts in the dedicatory exercises of the bronze statue of Gen. Wm. F. Bartlett at the State House, Boston. Andover's interest in Gen. Bartlett is shown in the name of our G. A. R. post, in his portrait which adorns Phillips hall, in many associations where he linked his name in beloved memory.

The little notice elsewhere, relating to an opportunity for private instruction in sloyd and nature work, brings to mind the loss to the boys and girls of Andover through the inability of the Guild to continue this work. The few children who secure the private, intelligent, helpful guidance of Mr. Hall in their summer fun this year, will be as fortunate as we wish a wider circle might be.

FOR LEGAL SERVICES

Colver J. Stone Sues the Heirs of the
J. W. Barnard Estate for \$5,000.

An attachment for \$5000 has been filed at the local registry of deeds against Eliza J. Barnard, widow of the late J. W. Barnard of Andover, Henry W. Barnard, Mabel P. Barnard and John H. Campion, also of Andover, in an action of contract brought by Colver J. Stone, who has law offices in Andover and Boston.

The suit is brought to recover for legal services which Mr. Stone alleges are due him in connection with the settlement of the estate.

Mr. Barnard was a wealthy resident of Andover. His will was a complicated one and the heirs agreed to a compromise. This necessitated practically a re-drawing of the will and having the supreme court pass upon the reconstructed document.

The necessary legal steps have been taken and now Lawyer Stone seeks to collect his fee, which the heirs regard as excessive.

There were no public bequests made in the will, the contents of which were almost wholly of a private nature. By the terms of the will the entire estate, reported to amount to about \$500,000, was left in trust until a term of 20 years shall have elapsed after the death of the last of the direct heirs. The direct heirs to share in the estate are the widow, Mrs. Eliza J. Barnard, Henry W. Barnard, Mrs. Henry W. Barnard and Mrs. Frances Bergstrom.

The will named as executors Eliza J. Barnard, Henry W. Barnard, Mabel Paradise Barnard and John H. Campion, and the same persons were also named as trustees.

May Celebration.

St. Augustine's May celebration will take place next Sunday afternoon at three o'clock. It will observe the following program:

Salutations, Twelve Little Girls, Hymn, Bring Flowers of the Rarest (1st verse and Chorus), Small Boys, Act of Homage, Hymn, (2nd verse and Chorus), Ditty, Mysteries of the Rosary, Hymn, (3rd verse and Chorus), Ditty, The Crowning, Reception, Hymn, "Mother Tell Me, What am I to do?", Sermon, Rev. J. B. Leonard, O. S. A., O Salutaris Hostia, Benediction, Laudate Dominum, Holy God We Praise Thy Name.

The line of march will be over Railroad street to the junction of Ridge, then back again on Ridge street to the church. The order of procession follows: Wardens, Crossbearers and Acolytes, Altar Boys, Sunday School Boys, Knights of O. L. G., Sunday School Girls, Crown of Mary, Holy Rosary, Children of Mary, May Queen, Choir, Celebrant.

As indicated by the program the most interesting part of the exercises will take place within the church. The middle aisle will be reserved for the processional, the side aisles for the congregation, which is invited to join in the singing of the closing hymn, "Holy God we Praise Thy Name."

Closing Night.

The Young Men's club of the Free church held their closing night on Monday, when a number of ladies were entertained by the members. A fine entertainment was given by the young men, a play entitled "A Confidential Clerk," being presented in a creditable manner showing that the participants had worked diligently in preparing it.

After the entertainment games were played and refreshments served and a social hour was spent.

The program was as follows:
Piano solo, "A Confidential Clerk" Everett Hilton
Play, "A Confidential Clerk" Everett Hilton
CAST OF CHARACTERS
Jonathan Dobbs, John A. Kydd
Horatio Lushington, William Black
Patrick McCormick, William Matthews
Charles Valentine, Alexander Hamilton
Richard Sharp, Charles Riddick
Harry Dalton, George Ireland
Violin solo, William Black
Miss May O'Connell, accompanist

Season Closed.

The Young Women's club of the Free church held their closing night on Tuesday when many friends of the members were present to witness the physical culture exercises under the able leadership of Miss Edna P. Carret. All were greatly pleased with the work and the instructor was complimented by many for the appearance of her class.

After the drill refreshments were served and a social hour spent. It is the intention of the members to organize next fall with a larger class.

Clothing Sale.

A clothing sale will be held at the Guild House on Saturday afternoon and evening, May 28th, commencing at three o'clock. All persons having garments for such sale will confer a favor by sending them to the Guild at once. Open Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday afternoons from three till five o'clock.

A NEW BIRD'S EYE VIEW OF LAKE WINNIPESAUKEE PUBLISHED BY THE BOSTON AND MAINE R. R.—The numerous vacationists who annually journey to Lake Winnepesaukee; and those persons intending to take a vacation in this section, will be interested in the new publication issued by the Passenger Department, Boston & Maine Railroad, Boston. It is a Bird's Eye View of Lake Winnepesaukee, the different glens and coves on the lake and the hundreds of islands. Each mountain peak, island and cove is numbered and at the bottom is a table giving the name of each number. This map is interesting and useful in furnishing one with the geography of the lake, and with prospective vacationists and New Hampshire enthusiasts should send six cents in stamps to the General Passenger Department, Boston & Maine Railroad, Boston, for it.

Advertised Letters.

Unclaimed letters, May 25, 1904.
Johnson, Dr. Co. Reddy, Ralph
Mahoney, D. J. Richardson, Madame
Ois. A. M. Sullivan, Catherine
Patterson, Chester Walsh, Miss Ellen
Wosnon, A. P.
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Election of Officers.

The semi-annual meeting and election of officers of the Free church Christian Endeavor society was held last Sunday evening. After the report of the Secretary had been read the nominating committee presented the following names which were accepted: President—David M. May; vice-president, Grace M. Leslie; secretary, Annabel Richardson; treasurer, Bertha Clark; pianists, Bertha Coutts, Mary Findlay; lookout committee, J. Gertrude Jackson, chairman, Barbara Taylor, Flora Lindsay, Charles Riddick, William Wyllie; prayer meeting committee, F. B. Goff, chairman; Cecilia Kydd, Annie McKenzie, David Coutts, Elmer Philbrick; social committee, Alice Leslie, chairman, Ruby Jackson, Bertha Coutts, Roy Lindsay, Dana Clark; Sunday school and visiting, Mrs. George A. Carter, chairman, Alice Bell, Minnie Shattuck, Bertha Clark, Charles Richardson; missionary and literature committee, Ethel Clark, chairman, Alice Coutts, Mary Findlay, George Carter, Charles Mayer; flower committee, Wm. Coutts, chairman, Mary Gorrie, Lillian Corbett, John Kydd, Jean Gordon; music committee, Grace Leslie, chairman, Clara Baldwin, Wm. Lindsay.

Improvements at Golf Club.

Extensive improvements are in progress on the golf course. Donald Ross, the expert of the Oakley Country club, has planned a splendid course and the work of developing it has been given to Mr. Tarbell of Lowell, who has in charge the upkeep of the Long Meadow Golf course of that city.

The enlarged new course will measure about 2700 yards, 500 yards more than the old one, and in many other respects besides increased length will be an improvement on the old course. The two holes on the Nolan Field will be eventually given up and the entire course located on the Phillips Academy land.

Monday, May 30, Memorial Day, from 4 to 6 p. m., the House committee will give a tea at the Golf Club house to which all members of the club are invited. Subsequent teas will be given June 4th, 18th and 25th, and Sept. 3rd, 10th and 17th.

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First Field Day of the Natural History Society.

The first field day of the Andover Natural History society was held last Saturday in Carmel woods. A goodly number of the members of the society met at the Town house at 2 p. m. and at once started on their excursion. Carmel woods were found to be a paradise for birds. The woods were vocal with their songs. The oven birds especially were numerous. One object which the society has in view is to prepare a complete list of the trees and shrubs found in Carmel woods and, if possible, to introduce there all the varieties of trees and shrubs that grow in Andover. The woods already are unusually rich in this particular.

I cannot refrain from mentioning a few varieties taken almost at random. Bass-wood, chestnut, hemlock, hickory, hop hornbeam, white ash, butternut, great laurel, mountain laurel, striped maple, sweet pepperbush, canoe birch, flowering cornel, red osier, painted cornel, alternate-leaved cornel, dockmackie, arrow-wood, sweet viburnum.

Some of the above named plants do not grow in Carmel woods but have been introduced. The great laurel was planted there by the Park commissioners and the mountain laurel was brought from the Alleghenies by the late Wm. T. Jackson. Both the great laurel and the mountain laurel grow sparingly in Massachusetts, but the slopes of the Alleghenies are often covered with these plants. The society enjoyed this their first outing and brought back with them some treasures of knowledge of bird or plant or other object.

On their return they visited Omar P. Chase's wild garden where they found beds of trilliums, cypripediums and other wild plants. The blossoms of the great flowered white trillium, yellow lady's slipper and wild ginger were worthy of special notice.

Births.

In Andover, May 22, twins to Mr. and Mrs. Patrick J. Hickey.
In Andover, May 26, a son to Mr. and Mrs. Bernard M. Allen.
In Andover, May 27, a daughter to Mr. and Mrs. Leonard D. Sherman.

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ORDAINED TO THE MINISTRY

James Austin Richards Will Preach at Bedford Park Presbyterian Church, New York.

The ordination of Mr. James Austin Richards, son of the late Dr. J. P. Richards, took place at the South church last night and the impressive services were shared in by a number of interested friends.

An advisory council had met in the church at four o'clock. Dr. Barnes of North Andover was elected moderator and Mr. Wilson, pastor of the Free church, scribe. A matter for regret was the absence of Rev. J. J. Blair, who was kept away by the illness of his son Kenneth. Mr. Richards read the customary paper, clear in statement and warm with feeling, which was so acceptable to the council that the following examination was of the briefest sort. Following this the council met by itself and voted to join in the evening services after several members had spoken, it is understood, appreciatively and affectionately of Mr. Richards.

At six o'clock the ladies of the church entertained the delegates and out of town friends at a very pretty supper.

The exercises of the evening began at half past seven. The pulpit was handsomely decorated for the occasion with white lilies, palms and begonias. Rev. Mr. Lovejoy of Lawrence was the presiding clergyman of the evening. The service was characterized by a stirring sermon, a manly and genuine "charge"

and by reverent and sincere rites of ordination. The "order" was as follows:

Invocation. Rev. Charles C. Carpenter

The Lord's Prayer.

The Doxology.

Hymn—"The Church's one foundation."

Scripture—Ephesians 4: 1-13.

Professor Edward V. Hicks, D.D.

Hymn—"We are able," Matt. 20: 22.

Rev. Alexander McKenzie, D.D.

Hymn—"Come, O Creator Spirit Best"

Ordaining Prayer.

Professor John Winthrop Plafner, D. D.

Choir Hymn—"In heavenly love abiding."

Charge to the Minister.

Professor Francis Brown, D. D.

Right Hand of Fellowship.

Rev. Frank R. Shipman

Hymn—"The Son of God goes forth to war."

Prayer.

Rev. Frederick A. Wilson

Benediction.

Rev. James Austin Richards

Mr. Richards has been called to the associate pastorate of the Bedford Park Presbyterian church in New York city. Bedford Park is in the department of the Bronx. It is an attractive and growing section, and its churches promise to be large and influential. Mr. Richards will take up his duties in the early fall. Next Sunday, morning and evening, he will be the preacher at the South church.

The Flower Mission.

A bunch of lilies of the valley and an invalid face lighting up at sight of the beautiful blossoms combine to inspire another plea for the flower mission. For years Andover has been generous in work and the time is now here for another year of activity. Out of your abundance of blossoms the committee will welcome contributions at the home of Dr. Abbott on Main street. Please leave them between 4 and 6 p. m. Fridays of each week.

Pittsburg Alumni Cup.

The following members of the Pittsburg Alumni association have presented a cup to Phillips Academy to be given to the baseball team: W. M. Frew, W. K. Shiras, R. V. Messier, E. H. Brainard, M. M. Magee, Southard Hay and W. H. Rea.

The cup is to be given to that member of the baseball team who, by his earnest work and spirit, contributes the most to the success of the team this season.

Cricket.

The Methuen second cricket team defeated the Andover eleven in an exciting game on the local crease Saturday afternoon, by the score of 61 to 47. W. Teale and J. Crompton were in fine batting form, making 28 (not out) and 18 runs, respectively. Anderson was the star batter for the Andover team, making 19 runs. The score:

METHUEN SECOND.
T. Jagger, b Anderson 0
J. Eddleston, b Anderson 38
W. Teale, not out 28
J. Briggs, b Sterling 10
J. Littleton, c Rhodes, b Anderson 6
J. Crompton, b Barrett 18
M. Wood, c McKenzie, b Barrett 13
J. Sharpe, run out 3
R. Barrett, b Anderson 1
R. Howard, b Anderson 1
Total, 61

ANDOVER.
J. Barrett, c Howard, b Briggs 5
H. Callahan, b Jagger 6
J. Holt, b Jagger 2
W. McKenzie, b Briggs 0
J. Callum, b Jagger 1
J. Gordon, b Jagger 1
A. Anderson, c Littleton, b Jagger 19
S. Frazer, b Jagger 3
N. Sterling, c Howard, b Jagger 1
A. Watson, c Teale, b Wood 4
W. Rhodes, not out, 1
Extras, 1
Totals, 47

Resignations at Punchard.

The resignation of Alton W. Peirce as principal of Punchard school has been received by the school committee but no action has yet been taken in the matter. Principal Peirce has received a flattering offer from Winchendon to the principalship of the High school of that town. Miss Frances Eleanor Brooks also a teacher in Punchard has tendered her resignation to accept a position as instructor in French in a Brookline, high school. Miss Brooks will spend her vacation in Paris in preparation for her new duties.

Notice.

A baseball game has been arranged with North Reading for tomorrow afternoon for the Andover Athletic association and the team is requested to take the 1.40 car from the square.

W. H. Welch is plumbing the cottage of Andrew Thompson which he is building on Washington avenue.

Arthur W. Sloman, P. A. '04, of Detroit, Mich., sails for Europe tomorrow to spend the summer.

Mrs. J. W. Tough will sail for Scotland on the S. S. Ivernia the first of next month. She will be accompanied by Mrs. Mary Gillespie of Lowell. Both ladies will visit their former homes and will spend several weeks in the "land of heather."

A woman was found wandering about town early Monday evening and was taken in charge by Chief of Police Frye for safe keeping. She was unable to tell her name or state where she lived. She was taken to the town farm for the night and Tuesday morning the authorities ascertained that she was the wife of John Morris of North Andover and had wandered away from her home. She was taken there Tuesday morning.

The next regular meeting of the North Essex Congregational club will be held on June 6 at the Trinity church in Lawrence and will be observed as a Rally night. A social hour will be spent from 6.30 to 7 when supper will be served. This will be followed by the business, addresses and discussions. It is the wish of the committee on membership that each member would endeavor to secure at least one new member to add to the list on this evening.

LIGHTNING PLAYED HAVOC

Electrical Storm of Wednesday Evening Does Considerable Damage at Abbott Village.

The rain storm of Wednesday night which was accompanied by heavy thunder and lightning, caused considerable havoc in Abbott Village, one bolt striking the ground in the Bushfield estate, now owned by Hugh Kydd, tearing up trees, rocks and bushes and breaking windows in neighboring houses.

About 7.20 an especially bright flash of lightning was immediately followed by a tremendous peal of thunder. Houses shook and the ground within a mile of the square trembled. Many thought that it was a repetition of the Lowell explosion so great was the shock. Frightened people began to inquire where the bolt had struck but no one could tell. To add to the confusion of the event the electric light wire burned out and this put the whole town in darkness. Stores depending on electricity for lighting displayed the long discarded lamps and presented a dismal appearance. A number of people in various parts of the town faintly but no serious trouble was experienced by anyone.

In Abbott Village, where the bolt

struck, it left a large hole from which rocks and sand were thrown many feet. The ground around a large tree was so disturbed that the tree is in danger of falling should a good wind come up. After leaving this spot the bolt took an eastward course, tearing down a fence and ripping up the lane leading from Cuba street to the house of John McKenzie. Here a young lady who was sitting near the window was struck in the head by a piece of stone but fortunately she was not injured seriously.

At the residence of Mrs. James Saunders several panes of glass were broken and at Albert Henner's and John Schofield's a like destruction was wrought.

At John Anderson's house, about 100 feet away, a large quantity of dirt fell on the piazza. In the centre of the Village the cap on an arc lamp pole was torn off and could not be found. In Porter's store the gas burners were torn off and his goods were considerably shaken up. Pieces of stone and bark were found in the Village, having been carried about 100 yards from the scene of the rupture.

Death of Prof. Coy.

Edward C. Coy, headmaster of the Hotchkiss school in Lakeville, died in New Haven, Conn., May 26. Mr. Coy was born at Ithaca, N. Y., Aug. 23, 1844. He prepared for college at Williston seminary, Easthampton, Mass., and entered Yale with the class of '69 and was graduated with high honors. He had been secretary of the headmaster's association of the United States and a member of the executive committee of the New England association of colleges and preparatory schools. One son, Sherman L. Coy, was right end on the Yale football team in 1901. Mr. Coy had been headmaster of the Hotchkiss school since 1892. He was for 19 years instructor in Greek in Phillips Academy. He resided in the house now occupied by Prof. Moorehead on Main street.

Basketball Game.

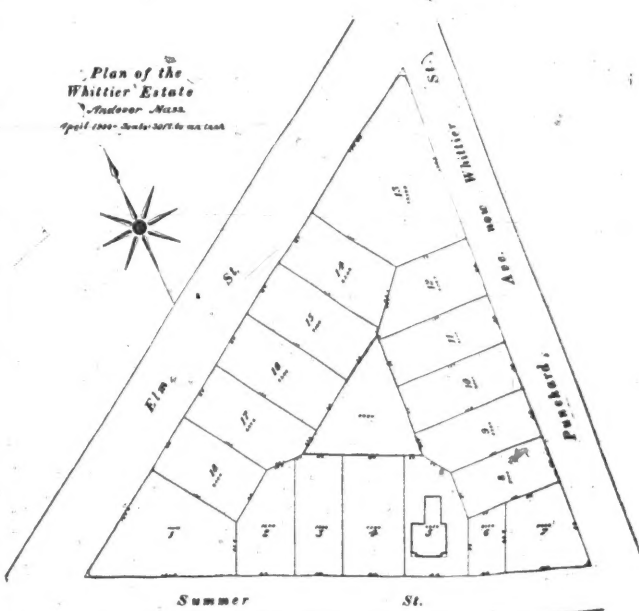
On Wednesday afternoon, May 25, there was a very closely contested game of basketball, between the Bradford Academy and the Abbot Academy teams at Bradford. The game was an interesting one from the start, for it was evident at once that neither team was to allow an easy victory for the other. Bradford made the first goal within thirty seconds of the calling of the game. As the ball went up the second time, it seemed for a moment as if Bradford was to make another goal in the same way, but the ball was stopped by the Abbot guards, and in a few moments Abbot also had made its first goal. From this point on, the interest of the game was breathless, and when the final whistle blew for time, it was found that the Abbot team was victorious by a score of 17 to 9. The Abbot girls showed especially good team work, and this combined with their quickness and good individual play won the day for them.

The thing, however, most to be commended about the game was the splendid spirit of fair play that was shown by both sides. This spirit was helped very much by the absolute impartiality of the officials, and at the end of the game both the victorious and the defeated team felt that an honest game had been played, and that an honest victory had been won by good and conscientious work.

The Bradford girls proved themselves true hostesses, first by the very cordial welcome which they gave the Abbot team and their supporters on their arrival, and later when the girls went to the basketball field, where it was found that they had divided the decorations equally between the yellow of their own school, and the blue of Abbot. After the game the Bradford seniors received the Abbot supporters at a very charming and informal reception, while the Bradford teams entertained the Abbot teams at dinner, and there more than ever, perhaps, each Bradford girl showed the hospitality for which Bradford is so well known, and which makes every visit to Bradford such a keen pleasure.

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The installation of Rev. George A. Andrews as pastor of the First Congregational church of Holliston occurred on Wednesday. A council for examination was held in the afternoon from 3.30 until six. At six, the council and guests sat down to a bountiful supper prepared by the ladies of the church and at 7.30 the exercises of the evening were taken up.

The program was as follows:
Organ Voluntary, from Athalia, Mendelssohn
Miss Mary S. Pike, Organist.
Reading of Minutes by the Scribe.
Rev. Nicholas Vander Pyl.
Te Deum, Choir.
Invocation and Scripture.
Rev. M. H. Keep, Ph. D.
Hymn, No. 300.
Congregation, standing.
Sermon.
Rev. A. Warfield, D.D.

Quarlette, Abide with Me.
Mrs. Holden, Miss Leavitt, Mrs. Wolford, Mrs. Travis.
Installing Prayer.
Rev. R. K. Harlow.
Address in Pastor.
Rev. Webster Woodbury.
Quarlette, with Chorus, A Dream of Paradise.
Dr. Pope, Mrs. Holden, Mrs. Travis, Mr. Wolford.
Address to the People.
Rev. Nicholas Vander Pyl.
Welcome to Holliston.
Rev. J. H. Humphrey.
Closing Prayer.
Rev. Geo. M. Adams, D.D.
Hymn, No. 112.
Congregation, standing.
Benediction.
By the Pastor.
Organ Postlude, Hosanna.
Denham.

Committee of Arrangements—John Batchelder, Deas J. H. Dewing, Mrs. Henry P. Dickenson, Mrs. Sarah F. Coburn, Lewis D. Dyer.
Rev. Mr. Andrews was formerly pastor of the West church.

WEST PARISH.

Miss Agnes Gillen, who is attending Normal school at Bridgewater, is spending a few days at her home.

Mr. and Mrs. George L. Averill and Mr. and Mrs. Frank H. Hardy, attended the installation exercises of the Rev. G. A. Andrews, at Holliston on Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Hardy have returned from Baysfield, N. B., where they have been spending the winter with their daughter, Mrs. Lee Rayworth.

Mrs. Higgins of Somerville, and Mrs. Morgan of San Jose, Cal., spent a few days last week with Mrs. Sarah M. Wagstaff.

Mrs. Susan Follansbee of Lynn, is spending the summer with Mrs. E. W. Boutwell.

Mrs. S. M. Chase of North Andover, spent Tuesday and Wednesday of this week with Mrs. E. W. Boutwell.

Daniel Murphy, jr., who was operated on at the Lawrence hospital a few weeks ago has returned home.

The Mission club will meet next Thursday afternoon, at three o'clock, in the vestry.

Hardy & Cole have had a gang of men at work at the Ballardvale mills for the past few weeks.

Mrs. E. C. Pike is reported to be gaining in health after having undergone a serious operation.

Mrs. J. D. Wilson, from Philadelphia, is in town. She will spend the month of June with her mother, Mrs. J. H. Merrill.

Joshua B. Holden, Esq., of the "Charles River Dam" commission, and family, are at the Phillips inn for the month of June.

An artificial pond is being built for Prof. Williams on his estate on Phillips street. Hardy & Cole and John McCarthy are doing the work.

A piazza is being built by Hardy & Cole on the residence of A. K. Batchelder on Chestnut street, which is owned by the trustees of Phillips academy.

J. Lyman Belknap, who was commissioned surgeon in the U. S. Navy on May 3, has been assigned to the Brooklyn Navy Yard where he will serve as an assistant naval surgeon until fall. He leaves today for his new post.

RIPLEY'S GOOD SCORE.

A. L. Ripley of this town, representing the Oakley Country club made a good score in the open golf tournament at the Country club, Brookline, yesterday, despite the poor weather conditions. He was tied with H. Chandler Egan of the Exmoor Golf club for the best gross score prize.

The cards of Egan and Ripley were:
H. C. Egan, Exmoor G. C.
Out 6 4 3 5 5 3 6 5—52
In 2 4 6 3 4 5 6—39—81—6—51
A. L. Ripley, Oakley C. C.
Out 6 6 4 5 5 5 3 4—43
In 3 4 4 4 5 3 4 5—38—51—5—59

Studio Talks.

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When you bring the child for a sitting, don't say to it, "Now the man won't hurt you and you must do just as he says," etc. Don't tell it to "be good." There is lots of truth in the old story about the woman who went calling for the afternoon, and warned the children not to put beans in their noses while she was away, and returned later to find that her warning had proven an inspiration. A child will do most anything you wish if you are sensible and go about it rightly.

A photographer learns this from long experience with all kinds of mothers and children. I worked with another operator at one time, who didn't like to photograph children, and turned them over to me. "You can wrestle with that kid," he said, and I've never regretted the experience. Most of the trouble in photographing children is caused by their being frightened, and I believe that it can be avoided in almost every case.

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Letter to Thomas E. Rhodes.

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POLITICS and GOVERNMENT

General.

Wisconsin Republicans Split.

The Republican state convention at Madison, Wis., last week was controlled absolutely by Governor Robert M. La Follette. Both sides had claimed a majority, but the state central committee was controlled by the governor, and thus the contests for seats were decided in his favor. The result of this action was a bolt by the Spooner and administration faction. Next day the anti-La Follette faction held a convention and nominated separate tickets, headed by ex-Congressman S. A. Cook. The original convention renominated La Follette. The contest will be taken to the Chicago convention, and the split gives Democrats renewed hope of success.

The Wisconsin Democratic convention at Milwaukee instructed its delegates to vote as a unit for E. C. Wall as president, the Hearst element being outvoted two to one.

Ohio Republicans Harmonize.

The Republican convention at Columbus, O., was controlled by the Dick Herrick successors to the Hanna machine, but a truce was effected between this faction and the Foraker faction, and both the senators were made delegates at large along with Herrick and Cox.

Iowa Republicans Stand Pat.

All propositions favoring tariff revision were voted down in the convention of Iowa Republicans at Des Moines, and the platform favored reciprocity in noncompetitive products only. This was the idea of Senator Allison and was not favored by the administration. Notwithstanding this distinct return to the "stand pat" tariff policy Governor Cummins announced that he would stand squarely upon the platform and denounced those who tried to make him out a free trader.

California For Hearst.

By a majority of nineteen the Democratic convention at San Francisco decided to endorse the candidacy of "W. B. Hearst and sent its delegates to St. Louis instructed for him. The platform contained the following plank: "The Dingley bill, for enforcement of antitrust laws, for direct election of senators, for parcel posts and for government ownership of railroads."

Hearst Will Not Bolt.

Candidate Hearst has given to the press a formal denial of the report that he, in company with Bryan and other radicals, were planning to bolt the St. Louis convention and organize a third party in the event of their being in the minority. He said, "I am for the St. Louis nominee."

Other Republican Conventions.

Indorsements of Roosevelt have been made by the Republican state conventions of Nebraska, Michigan, North Dakota, North Carolina, New Hampshire and Wyoming. Nebraska suggested John L. Webster for vice president. The North Carolina convention was notable for the absence of the negroes.

Cortelyou to Lead Elephant.

The report that George B. Cortelyou, secretary of commerce and labor, has been selected by President Roosevelt to conduct the Republican party's campaign as chairman of the national committee has been unofficially confirmed and is generally accepted, although the actual choice of a chairman will not occur until the committee meets at Chicago. While opinions of the leaders differ as to the expediency of this choice, all are agreed that Mr. Cortelyou is personally equipped for the task. It is pointed out by some that he has been a Democrat, having voted for Cleveland in 1892. In 1896 he did not vote.

Illinois Republican Deadlock.

After the Republican convention at Springfield, Ill., had been in session eight days and had voted fifty-eight times on the seven candidates for governor without a break in the deadlock, the candidates agreed, May 21, on an adjournment to May 31. Governor Yates remained in the lead, with Lowden second and Densen third.

Foreign.

Australian Labor Policy.

Premier Watson of the Australian commonwealth announced the policy of the Labor party, which is now in power. He will reintroduce the arbitration bill, so changed as to make state employees subject to it, this being the point on which the former government was defeated after the failure of the state railroad strike. The arbitration court will consist of a judge only, no counsel being permitted without the consent of both sides. Other

points of the programme would be the selection of one commissioner to represent all Australia in London instead of one from each state, old age pensions, state control of tobacco trade and a new banking law compelling banks to hold 40 per cent in government notes.

Austria's Military Budget.

The people of Austria-Hungary have been startled by the enormous army and navy expenditure proposed by the government, amounting to \$51,791,200. This is said to be due to the lessons of the Russo-Japanese war and a desire to hasten the plan of the national defenses. The emperor at a reception intimated that the warlike preparations were the best guarantee of peace.

More Armenian Massacres.

The worst fears regarding the reported devastation of Armenian villages throughout the Sassoun districts by Turkish troops have been confirmed. The powers have sent agents to Erzerum in the hope of limiting the area of destruction. Turkey is believed to be taking advantage of Russia's predicament in the far east to crush the rebellious Armenians.

China Opens Chinanfu.

The state department was informed by Minister Conger at Peking that the Chinese government had decreed the opening of Chinanfu, the capital of Shantung province, to foreign trade. The object of this move is supposed to be to prevent the annexation of this territory by any one country. The city is near the German territory.

French Government Sustained.

The results of the French elections do not show any considerable dissatisfaction either in the rural or urban districts with the Combes government. On the contrary, the Nationalists and opposition parties in general have lost ground almost everywhere.

Notes.

The British force at Gyantse, Tibet, awaits the arrival of a re-enforcing column. * * * The government forces in Haiti defeated the revolutionary troops in battle May 19 near Monte Cristi. * * * The Balfour government has again been sustained by the commons without regard to the tariff question.

Legal and Criminal.

Anarchist Turner Barred Out.

The constitutionality of the anti-anarchist law under which the immigration authorities at New York ordered the deportation of John Turner, the English theoretical anarchist, has been upheld in a unanimous decision of the United States supreme court rendered by Chief Justice Fuller. The court rules that the rights of free speech and trial by jury do not apply to aliens and hence could not be invoked by Turner. The power of congress to prescribe the conditions under which aliens may enter this country was undoubted and could be delegated to an executive department. The testimony and Turner's own admission placed him in the prescribed class of anarchists. The chief justice declared that in so growing himself Turner accepted the definition of anarchy as laid down by standard dictionaries. Turner is now in England, having returned voluntarily while at liberty on bail pending the decision.

Flag Advertising Lawful.

The New York law of 1903, in so far as it prohibits the use of the American flag for advertising purposes, was declared to be unconstitutional, May 17, by the state court of appeals. The decision was rendered by Chief Judge Parker.

Texas Loses Trust Fight.

In the district court at Austin, May 17, Judge Brooks sustained the general demurrer to the petition of Texas against the Missouri, Kansas and Texas Railroad company and the Amer-

ican Express company for penalties aggregating \$235,000 for violation of the antitrust act. This is a victory for the companies and settles the case so far as the lower court is concerned. Forty similar suits are pending, involving all the transportation companies in the state, with penalties aggregating \$10,000,000. The case will be appealed by the state.

Tyner and Barrett Testify.

The feature of the Tyner-Barrett trial at Washington was the testimony of Tyner as he sat in his wheel chair near the witness stand. He denied having approved the Barrett opinion in order to drive the bond investment companies affected to Barrett's employ. The aged general spoke feelingly of the fact that he had brought up Barrett and trained his morals as well as his legal mind. Ex-Secretary of State Foster was present to affirm his belief in Tyner's character. Barrett followed with his testimony.

Western Union Backs Down.

The Western Union Telegraph company finally decided, May 18, to go out of the business of gathering and disseminating race horse news throughout this country. This important decision was contained in an order issued east, west, north and south by President Clowry, without stating any reasons therefor. It was in obedience to the force of public opinion behind the fight made by the police and press of New York city against the pool room evil. It was a direct and conclusive confession of the charge, hitherto ignored by the officials of this great common carrier of telegraphic messages, that it was actually in business connection with the pool rooms and gamblers. It was also significant that the action was taken just as District Attorney Jerome was on the point of instituting legal proceedings against that company and its directors.

President Clowry.

A tentative but ineffective move in this direction had been made the day before, when President Clowry ordered the racing service to be cut off from all New York city subscribers. The pool rooms were able to run as usual by negotiating with points outside of New York. Following this action by the Western Union, Police Commissioner McAdoo of New York raided all the big gambling news centers, May 20, confiscating instruments and arresting many men. The pool rooms were seriously crippled.

Pinkertons After White Caps.

A force of Pinkerton detectives has been distributed through the "White Capper" districts of Mississippi at the instigation of Governor Vardaman, who has undertaken to clear the state of this and other forms of lawlessness. He secured a special appropriation of \$1,500 a year for this work and says he will push it to a finish.

Executive.

Our Ships Free in China.

The state department decided, May 19, to publish the correspondence between Admiral Evans and Minister Conger respecting the rights of American ships in Chinese waters. The admiral took the stand that his ships could go wherever Americans were allowed to reside and engage in business. This attitude has now been approved by Secretary Hay.

Porto Rican Murderer Pardoned.

By executive order the Minnesota state prison will release Raphael Ortiz, the Porto Rican who killed Private John Burke of the Forty-seventh (Brooklyn) volunteer infantry for having stolen Ortiz's sweetheart. Ortiz will now return to his Porto Rican home.



Mrs. Weisslitz, Buffalo, N. Y., cured of kidney trouble by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

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NORTH ANDOVER

CONCERT BY PILGRIM FATHERS.

An exceptionally fine concert has been arranged for the coming Friday evening to be held in the Odd Fellows large hall under the auspices of the Bradstreet colony, U. O. P. F. The best of talent will appear. Artists from Boston will entertain. The concert is to be given free of all charge for the members of the colony and friends they may invite. All who desire to attend can secure tickets of admission free from the members of the committee in charge.

The talent to appear will be Curtis Morse, humorist; Miss Edith Cristie, violinist; and Master Edward Donlan, boy soprano. There will also be present, the Supreme Governor Edward P. Lincoln of Boston and Supreme Secretary Nathan Cray of Lawrence. Both gentlemen will make short addresses.

The committee selected to make the arrangements is: D. W. Carney chairman, Edwin L. Perley, Henry A. Webster, George Morgan and Miss Emma Trulian.

DEEPLY INTERESTED IN HER WORK.

But few of the people who enjoyed the decided pleasure of hearing Mrs. Ella M. Keith give her lecture on the Passion play as she saw it at Oberammergau in 1900, realized how deeply interested she is in her chosen work. The lecture was given in the Methodist church and the lecturer was greeted by a large audience. While in town Mrs. Keith was entertained as the guest of Conductor and Mrs. E. Coledge Houghton on Davis street.

Mrs. Keith makes her home in Worcester but her work keeps her away from that city a greater part of the time. On the nights previous to her appearance in the local Methodist church she gave her lecture in Lowell and in Lawrence. Her duties are far from light. For the past 14 years she has been engaged in her present work. She is the superintendent of the railroad work of the Woman's Christian Temperance union. In her work she has become acquainted with nearly all railroad employees in the New England states. It is her duty to seek out the sick and injured from among their number and give aid to those afflicted or to their families. To say that the railroad corporations appreciate what she has done and still continues to do, is simply stating a truth for they furnish her free transportation willingly over their lines when and wherever she desires to go.

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The Passion Play is given but once in every ten years, and on July 13th, 1900, Mrs. Keith witnessed the impressive spectacle as given in accordance with a promise made many generations ago when the people of the land suffered from a great pestilence. Mrs. Keith in her lecture makes every thing perfectly clear and extremely interesting. She is greatly aided in her work by a stereopticon lantern by which scenes were thrown upon a screen including pictures taken from the Old and New Testaments and the history of the time.

All money received by Mrs. Keith as recompense for her lecture is turned into the treasury of the W. C. T. U. so she is not a paid worker. By her husband's will she was left a sum which she considers sufficient to supply all her personal needs. She travels all over New England. Last year she turned into the society the total sum of \$16.91 as a result of her labors.

LAIN AT REST.

The funeral of the late David Bruce who passed away at an early hour on Wednesday morning after a brief illness was held on Friday afternoon from the family home on East Water street.

The service was very simple and was attended by relatives and close friends, present from Bradford, Lawrence, New Bedford and North Andover. The Rev. George E. Sanderson, pastor of the Methodist church, officiated. The remains lay in life-like repose enclosed in a fine black casket with silver trimming. The plate was inscribed:

DAVID BRUCE,
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The interment was made in Spring Grove cemetery in Andover, where committal services were conducted. The pall bearers were: Hon. Alexander B. Bruce, Supt. David Bruce, William Morrison, all of Lawrence and Atwood Lloyd of Haverhill.

Before the hour of the funeral many of the shopkeepers of the deceased visited the home, paying their last respects to the dead.

The love of relatives was evinced by the beautiful floral tributes, arranged about the casket. Their great fragrance permeated the saddened home. The pieces were: Ivy wreath, from the wife; pillow with "Father," from the family; beautiful wreath of pansies and Ivy Mr. and Mrs. William Morrison and family; spray of white pinks, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Barraclough; spray of white pinks and heliotrope, Mr. and Mrs. Greenwood; spray of pink pinks, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Elliott and James W. Elliott; spray white pinks and heliotrope, Forest L. Perley, New Bedford; spray of pink pinks, Mr. and Mrs. William Porter, and beautiful floral wreath from Mr. and Mrs. George Stevens.

MEMORIAL SERMON.

The Rev. Henry Elbert Barnes, pastor of the Congregational church, has invited the members of Gen. Logan post, G. A. R.; and Gen. Garfield circle of the ladies of the G. A. R. to attend a memorial service to be held at his church on Sunday morning, commencing at the regular time. The invitation has been accepted. This will probably be the last patriotic sermon Dr. Barnes will ever preach as pastor of the church. Mr. Foster, the choir director, has prepared a special musical program. All are cordially invited to attend.

ELECTED CAPTAIN.

At a meeting of the players on the Young Men's Catholic association baseball team held on Saturday afternoon, John X. Healey was chosen captain for this year. This selection is considered a most excellent one. He has always held the reputation of being a first class ball player and plays the second bag on the team of which he has been chosen captain. P. J. Casey, the president of the association was elected manager at a recent meeting. He succeeds John J. Willis, who resigned as manager, as he is a player on the team.

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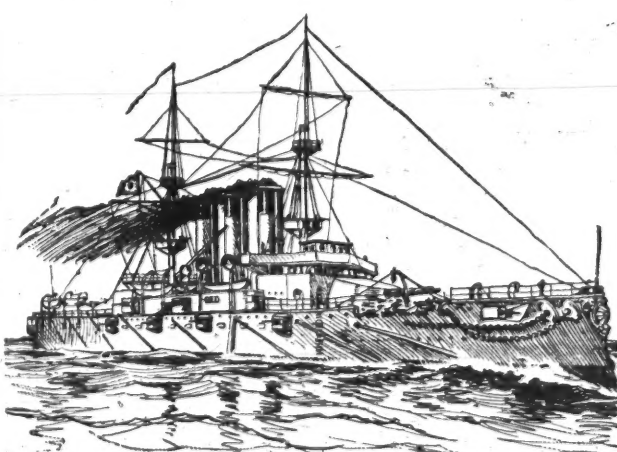
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3.36; 7.26 ex. ar. 8.05; 7.41 ex. ar. 8.36; 8.03 a. c.
ex. ar. 8.51; 8.51 a. c. ar. 8.54; 9.22 a. c. ar. 10.39; 9.38
ex. ar. 10.05; 10.28 ex. ar. 11.02; 11.10 a. c. ar.
12.00 m.; 12.11 ex. ar. 12.45; 12.57 a. c. ar. 1.22;
1.18 a. c. ar. 1.12; 1.55 a. c. ar. 2.48; 2.49 a. c. ar.
3.35; 4.10 a. c. ar. 5.04; 5.50 a. c. ar. 6.43; 7.15
a. c. ar. 8.06; 8.42 a. c. ar. 10.30. SUNDAY: A. M.
7.34 ar. 8.28; 8.33 ar. 9.27; 12.21 ar. 1.24; P. M.
4.26 ar. 5.18; 5.58 ar. 6.55; 6.59 ar. 7.56; 8.21 ar.
9.05; 8.30 ar. 9.32.

BOSTON TO ANDOVER. A. M. 3.9 a. c. in And-
over 4.35; 5.49 a. c. ar. 6.55; 7.30 a. c. ar. 8.18; 9.25
a. c. ar. 10.23; 10.15 a. c. ar. 11.18; 10.45 a. c. ar.
11.26; 11.50 a. c. ar. 12.40; 12.25 ex. ar. 1.00; 2.15 a. c.
ar. 3.02; 3.30 a. c. ar. 4.07; 3.36 a. c. ar. 4.40;
4.59 ex. ar. 5.37; 5.14 ex. ar. 6.48; 5.32 a. c. ar. 1.23;
6.01 a. c. ar. 6.48; 6.35 a. c. ar. 7.31; 7.02 a. c. ar.
7.53; 8.39 a. c. ar. 10.22; 11.15 ex. ar. 11.58. A.
SUNDAY: A. M. 8.00 a. c. ar. 9.02; 12.00 ar. 12.45.
P. M. 4.15 a. c. ar. 3.05; 5.00 a. c. ar. 6.06; 6.00 ex.
ar. 1.44; 8.40 a. c. ar. 9.24.

ANDOVER TO LOWELL. A. M. 7.41 arrive in Low-
ell, 8.34; 8.21 ar. 8.49; 9.22 ar. 10.32; 10.33 ar. 11.09;
11.10 ar. 11.41. P. M. 12.37 ar. 1.08; 1.49 ar. 3.19;
3.10 ar. 4.55; 5.50 ar. 6.20; 7.15 ar. 7.48; 9.42 ar.
11.08. SUNDAY: A. M. 8.38 ar. 9.17; P. M. 12.21
ar. 1.02; 4.26 ar. 4.57; 5.58 ar. 6.27; 8.30 ar. 9.01.
LOWELL TO ANDOVER. A. M. 6.50 ar. 8.18; 8.30
ar. 8.57; 9.25 ar. 10.23; 10.50 ar. 11.26. P. M. 12.05
ar. 12.40; 2.30 ar. 3.02; 3.55 ar. 4.40; 5.06 ar. 5.37;
6.15 ar. 6.48; 7.00 ar. 7.31; 9.25 ar. 10.22; 11.25
ar. 11.58. SUNDAY: A. M. 8.15 ar. 9.02. P. M.
12.05 ar. 12.45; 5.30 ar. 6.06.

Wednesdays and Saturdays.

ANDOVER TO LAWRENCE. A. M. 6.55, 6.55, 6.55,
6.57, 6.57, 11.15, 11.26. P. M. 12.40, 1.00, 3.02, 3.18,
4.07, 4.40, 5.37, 5.48, 6.23, 6.48, 7.31, 7.53, 10.22, 11.58.
SUNDAY: A. M. 9.02. P. M. 12.45, 3.05, 6.06,
6.44, 9.24.

LAWRENCE TO ANDOVER. A. M. 6.40, 7.12
7.23, 7.53, 8.07, 9.00, 9.27, 10.15, 10.55, 11.55.
P. M. 12.25, 1.00, 1.45, 2.30, 3.55, 5.40, 6.18,
9.32.

SUNDAY: A. M. 7.25, 8.18 P. M. 12.10, 4.20,
5.35, 6.46, 8.55, 9.04.

ANDOVER TO SALEM, MASS. A. M. 6.55; ar. 8.48;
7.41 ar. 8.37; P. M. 12.40 ar. 1.57; 1.18 ar. 2.38;
11.10 ar. 5.04; 5.50 ar. 6.58.

SALEM TO ANDOVER, MASS. A. M. 7.00 ar. 8.31;
7.05 ar. 8.18, 11.10 ar. 12.37. 12.05 ar. 3.02;
4.35 ar. 5.50; 5.51 ar. 7.15.

GOING EAST. A. M. 6.55, 8.18, 8.57, 9.27,
10.23, 11.15, 11.26. P. M. 12.40, 1.00, 3.02, 3.18,
4.07, 4.40, 5.37, 5.48, 6.23, 6.48, 7.31, 7.53, 10.22, 11.58.
SUNDAY: A. M. 9.02. P. M. 12.45, 3.05, 6.06,
6.44, 9.24.

GOING NORTH, VIA MAINE RAILROAD. A. M. 8.18,
9.10, 10.02, 10.57, 11.58. SUNDAY: 9.02 a. m., 12.45
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METHUEN.

SKETCH OF C. H. KERSHAW.

Charles H. Kershaw, who this week
assumes his duties at the Second Prim-
itive Methodist church in this town
and who will conduct the prayer meet-
ing at the church Wednesday night,
comes to Methuen well recommended
as a young man with marked ability
and pronounced spiritual qualifications
for the work he has chosen in life.

Mr. Kershaw, it will be remembered,
was ordained a minister at the Prim-
itive Methodist conference in Lowell,
Rev. W. B. Taylor of this town
preaching the ordination sermon.

Mr. Kershaw is a native of England,
where he was born 25 years ago, and
came to America when a young boy,
with his mother, Mrs. Ellen Kershaw.
He received his education in the Low-
ell schools, and was an energetic work-
er in Rev. Mr. Matthews' church in
that city, being especially active in the
work among the young people. Under
the direction of Mr. Matthews Mr.
Kershaw spent nearly three years in
preliminary work, leading up to the
regular theological course prescribed
by the Primitive Methodist confer-
ence. Four and a half years ago he
was called to the Primitive Methodist
church at North Tipton, R. I., where
he spent two years and a half very
successfully. During the past two
years he has been in Manville, R. I.

His work as a ministerial probationer
during this period of nearly five years
has been most successful, and justifies
the impression that his preliminary
work under Mr. Matthews was thor-
ough. According to the usual custom
in the P. M. conference, he will mat-
riculate with some college, and take a
post graduate course while pursuing
his ministerial work. While living in
Lowell, and receiving his preliminary
training, Mr. Kershaw supported his
widowed mother by working in a shoe
factory in that city. His mother is
now living with him in Manville, R. I.
Mr. Kershaw began his duties at the
local church today, and will conduct
the Wednesday evening prayer meet-
ing. He will occupy the pulpit Sunday
morning when his first sermon will be
preached. Mr. Kershaw will reside at
5 Ashland avenue, which is being fit-
ted up as a parsonage.

DEATH OF JOSHUA P. HILL.

Joshua P. Hill, the oldest resident of
Methuen died Tuesday afternoon at
his home, 47 Prospect street, aged 94
years, one month and nine days. Mr.
Hill suffered a slight shock recently,
and since that time has been failing
rapidly. Up to the time of the shock
he had been in good health, though
feeble, for a year past.

Mr. Hill was a remarkable man in
many respects. He had always en-
joyed good health and long after he
had passed his seventieth birthday he
was able to do a better day's work
than many a man in the prime of life.
Though he never held any town office,
he had always taken an interest in the
town affairs and up to within a year
or two attended the town meetings.

Mr. Hill had been a resident of Me-
thuen for more than 60 years, having
purchased the farm where he now re-
sides in the spring of 1844. He was
born in Newfield, Me., April 15, 1810,
where his early life was spent. When
18 years old he visited Methuen, a
section which is now a part of Law-
rence, and found employment with
Daniel Merrill, a prosperous farmer.

After one summer he returned to New-
field and the next spring he and 18
other young men started out to work
to Boston. They gave up the walking
part of it and when Haverhill was
besieged many of them separated. Mr.
Hill continued on to Boston and there
found work in a brick yard. He re-
mained there eight months and then
Joseph Howe, for three years, and
later made a trip to Rockport and was
engaged driving a team there for sev-
en years. Leaving Rockport he next
visited Pelham, N. H., where he was
married to Miriam Richardson. In
May '43 they came to Methuen and
Mr. Hill has ever since made that
town his home. After four children
had been born to Mr. and Mrs. Hill
she died. Some years later he was
married again, his second wife being
Caroline Heath. Eight children have
been born to this union. The twelve
children are all living and are as fol-
lows: Elliot Hill, Medford; Joseph
T. C. John Q. Morris S. Sherburne,
Eben, Miss Carrie, Miss Annie and
Mrs. O. E. Lowell of this town. Chas.
Hill, Providence. Mr. Hill has eleven
grandchildren and two great grand-
children.

Until the death of Mr. Hill there
were for generations of the Hill family
living in Methuen. Mr. Hill, his son,
T. C. Hill, his grandson, B. E. Hill
and the latter's daughter, Miss Miriam
Hill.

Mr. Hill was a member of the Con-
gregational church, where he has at-
tended services for over half a century.

The selectmen have acted favorably
upon the request of the New England
Telephone and Telegraph company for
the privilege of erecting poles on Cen-
ter, Carleton and Brown streets in the
Arlington district.

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COUNTY NEWS.

The Lynn theatre fire remains a
mystery.

The bakers of Newburyport will try
to run their shops with non-union
help.

Grovland Pines, the summer resort
on the Merrimack river, will open for
the season Memorial day.

A new and modern theatre will be
built shortly on the site of the one de-
stroyed Wednesday in Lynn.

The corner stone of the new Uni-
versalist church at Amesbury will be
laid May 25 with Masonic rites.

Rev. H. C. Hovey, D. D., of New-
buryport will represent the presby-
tery of Boston at the general assem-
bly of the United States at Buffalo.

Cyrus Adams, conductor on the
Pleasant Valley of the Citizens rail-
way company, has been in the service
of the road for thirty-one years. His
run is through Merrimack.

If Mrs. Jane (Goodridge) Mansfield
of Lynn lives until the third day of
December next, she will have reached
the grand old age of 103 years. She is
now enjoying excellent health.

The strike of the American Express
drivers at Lynn is petering out. Su-
perintendent French says that he has
all the men he needs and will not take
the strikers back under any circum-
stances.

During the terrific thunder storm
which passed over Peabody, a bolt of
lightning struck the tower of the
house of Hose 3 and for a few min-
utes excitement and terror reigned
among the occupants.

The pugilistic act of Thomas W.
Pierce, the Topsheld millionaire, who
whipped Edward Brown, a Salem pho-
tographer, may cost the former \$5000.
Negotiations are now on foot for a
monetary consideration to settle the
matter as to Brown's wounds.

When John Egan, aged 36, no home,
walked out of state prison at Charle-
stown after finishing a sentence of
three years, he was arrested by In-
spector Burke on a warrant charging
him with larceny from a building in
Lynn.

George Law of Ipswich, pleaded
guilty to killing a deer in that town
in the superior court at Newburyport
yesterday. He claimed he did it as an
act of mercy, the deer having been
mangled by dogs, and he was put on
probation.

Mayor Wood of Haverhill says that
he will not name Coddie as license
commissioner as it appears that the
latter's appointment is desired by the
socialists and as he was not elected
by the socialists he will not sacrifice
a good Republican in their interests.

The merchants of Beverly have voted
to hold Saturday evening band con-
certs during the summer months, and
Saturday evening the first concert of
the series was held. Hundreds of peo-
ple assembled on the street and the
merchants reported a large increase in
business.

Daniel Cashman, of the firm of
Cashman Brothers, was the victim of
an accident at the ruins of the car
barns of the Citizens street railroad at
Newburyport that it is feared may re-
sult fatally. Cashman was injured by
the falling of timber and Michael
Welch, one of the men employed by
the firm, had one foot badly crushed.

Arthur G. Pelletier of Salem was at
Alfred, Me., disabled on application
of the York Bar association. Pelletier,
it will be remembered, was ad-
mitted to the Maine bar some years
ago by means of what is alleged to
have been a forged certificate of ad-
mission to the Essex county bar.

Mayor Wood of Haverhill will re-
fuse to sign the orders granting 10 days
vacation to the policemen and firemen,
which were acted upon by the city
council. Although not making the
statement in plain words that he will
veto the orders, there is but little
probability of favorable action upon
the documents in the executive de-
partment.

Hale and hearty, taking a keen in-
terest in all that is going on in his na-
tive city in the way of growth and im-
provement a constant reader of the
news of his life from the
weather is not absolutely prohibitive.
In brief, the story of Edward I.
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C. H. Kelcher of Newburyport will
build 1300 feet of new highway at
Magnolia.

Capt. Sol Jacobs of Gloucester ad-
vocates a close season on mackerel
up to the tenth of June next year.

John E. Kelley of Salem is missing.
His wife says he left home about six
weeks ago, after drawing \$75 in wages.
He is about 40 years of age.

Mayor Eastham, Aldermen Barney
and Wells and ex-Senator Porter all
have an eye on the Republican mayor-
ality nomination this fall in Lynn.

Edward Guertin of Haverhill was
felled with a stone thrown by an Ital-
ian, while trying to quell a distur-
bance between Italians in the Bradford
district.

The house of I. S. Leadbetter, on
Dayton street, Danvers Centre, was
destroyed by fire Saturday morning.
The occupants had a narrow escape
with their lives.

Mayor Wood of Haverhill has signed
the order passed by the city council
for a series of 10 public band concerts.
It is proposed to give a portion of
them at Winnikenn park.

Miss Mary Nabonne of Salem has
reached the 80th anniversary of her
birth. She was born in the old Nar-
bonne house, 71 Essex street, and there
she has always lived.

A runaway occurred in Salem and
Edward McGurr, one of the occupants
of the carriage, jumped and
broke his leg. A boy was knocked
down by the horse and injured.

The naked "wild man" who some
weeks ago terrified the people of
Lynn, appears to have shifted the
scene of his operations to Stoneham,
where he has the timid in a state of
panic.

Jonathan May of Magnolia, Char-
les E. Richardson of West Gloucester,
and William H. Pierson and Aaron
Wheeler of Gloucester, have been ap-
pointed wardens by the Massachusetts
Fish and Game commission.

Mrs. J. A. Kennedy of Lynn was so
pestered by a pedlar that when he in-
sisted on entering the house, against
her expressed wish, she hit him over
the head with an axe. The police are
looking for a man with a garb in his
scalp.

George H. Worrell of Salem died
very suddenly in Boston. He took a
train and on the way was taken se-
riously ill. When the train reached
Boston he was placed in an ambulance,
but he died before the Relief Hospital
was reached.

Frank Burton Stone, a silversmith
of Newburyport put a bullet into his
brain. Young Stone was married
about a year ago to Miss George Al-
len, but the marriage did not prove a
happy one and the couple have lived
apart most of the time.

The three-year-old son of Robert
Bartlett of Lynn fell into a vault Sun-
day and but for the timely appearance
of an unknown Greek, would have
been suffocated by the gases. As it
was the physicians had to work hard
to save the child's life.

The New Hampshire Traction com-
pany has issued a neat portfolio of
views along their lines, especially at
Canobie lake park and at Hampton
beach. The portfolio is one of the
most complete ever issued by a street
railway company, and is novel in its
make-up. Descriptions of the views
and other interesting data are to be
found, including maps of the various
divisions and time and fare sched-
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North Andover News.

The residence of Selectman Peter Holt is being repainted.

William J. Lynch of Dorchester spent Monday at his home in town.

Selectman Peter Holt is having his residence connected by telephone.

Oliver Stevens and family arrived in town the latter part of next week for the summer.

Horace Osgood of Elm street returned recently from a trip through the western states.

Forest L. Perley of New Bedford spent Friday, Saturday and Sunday at his home in town.

Frank Curley has entered the employ of J. H. Groer the Essex street pharmacist, Lawrence as a clerk.

Mrs. Ella M. Keith of Worcester gave her very interesting lecture on the Passion Play in the Methodist church on Friday evening under the auspices of the Ladies' Circle.

George F. Sargent has returned home from New Hampshire and Vermont, where he has been for the last 10 days. He brought home a nice lot of Vermont maple sugar which may be secured in quantity by all who desire.

Robert Damon, superintendent of spinning in the Sawyer mills at Dover, N. H., of the American Woolen company, and Arthur Brown also of Dover were entertained as the guests of Supl. Carl Vetter of Stevens mill on Sunday.

John Boyle of Portland street, South Lawrence, has taken G. Willis Tracy's place as overseer of spinning at Sutton's mill. He entered in upon his new duties on Monday. Formerly Mr. Boyle was employed at Kunhardt's mill in Lawrence.

Alfred W. Kershaw of Middlesex street attended the funeral of Edwin V. Robinson held in Wenham on Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock. He was a close friend.

The executive committee of the Johnson High School Alumni association meets this evening with the president of the association, George N. Meserve at his home on Pleasant street. Arrangements will be further completed for the reception in June to the graduating class.

The Methuen High school baseball team came over on Monday afternoon and played a second game with the Johnson High school boys. This time they were victorious by a score of 24 to 15. The game lasted but six innings. As the series now stands each team has won a game. The rubber game will be played on Friday, June 3rd.

The executive committee of the Johnson High School Alumni Association held a meeting on Monday evening with George N. Meserve, the president of the association, at his home on Pleasant street. Besides the president there were present: Miss Mary A. Mahoney, L. Edgar Osobed, Miss Edna Holt and Herbert E. Hosmer. The report to the graduating class will be rendered on Friday evening June 24th in Stevens hall. Rhodes of Andover will cater. The Columbian orchestra will be secured to furnish music for the occasion. It is expected that the reception this year will be even more a social success than any of those preceding.

The son of Mr. and Mrs. Edward B. Humman, Everett A. Humman celebrated his 14th birthday at the family home on Beverly street recently. A party given the son who is extremely popular among his schoolmates and friends, games were played and a light collation partaken of. Those present wished their host many happy returns of the day. The guests were, Misses Alice Kirk, Alice Morris, Annie Pratt, Laura Jackson, and Lillian Miller, Fred Burdison, William Emmett Allison Blackstock, Christopher A. Curly and the host.

The wedding of Miss Eliza Rand and Albert Fielden which took place on Tuesday afternoon at 4 o'clock was a very quiet one. The young couple were unattended. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. George E. Sanderson pastor of the Methodist church at the parsonage. The bride is very popular young lady whose home has been with her mother at 18 Water street. She marries a young man most highly esteemed. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Mark Fielden of 33 Spruce street Lawrence. He is employed as a conductor on the local division of the Boston and Northern street railway system. Soon after the ceremony the young couple left on their honeymoon with the best wishes of relatives and friends for a most happy future.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Fielden have returned to town after their wedding trip.

Samuel Black of Lawrence has been granted a junk dealer's license by the board of selectmen.

Chief of Police George H. Mizen is reported to be improving at the Lawrence General hospital.

The street railway traffic on the lines passing through this town was exceedingly heavy on Sunday.

The May procession held in Lawrence on Sunday afternoon was numerously attended by people of this town.

The Blue Stockings went to Ballardvale on Saturday and defeated the strong town team by a score of 14 to 4.

James E. Mitter has taken Ralph F. Robinson's place as flag man at the Eastern railroad crossing on Main street.

Clarence E. Potter of Keene, N. H., was a guest over Sunday at the home of John J. O'Brien on Cleveland street.

Harry White and Joseph Hinchelliff took a trolley ride to Nashua, N. H., on Sunday returning home by way of Haverhill.

The cars on the Andover and Haverhill line ran on half hour time on Sunday. Ten minute cars were put on on the old line.

Miss Bernice G. Hanscom of Reading was a visitor on Sunday at the home of her uncle, Harry White on High street.

Philip Hamilton has been elected manager and Joseph Driver the captain of the Roger Wolcott club baseball team.

The Boston and Maine railroad are to put 24 night watchmen on the Main and Marblehead street crossings of the Western division.

Miss Lilla G. Hamilton of Elm street is in Lowell today as the guest of Miss Carolyn L. White a student at the Lowell Normal school.

Since Sunday many favorable comments have been heard concerning the fine playing of the Mechanics Brass band in the May procession in Lawrence.

Miss Mildred Ellis, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Luther Ellis of High street will take part in the recital on Friday evening at the Vose School of Music in Lawrence.

A patriotic service will be held in the Congregational church on next Sunday evening. Arrangements are being made for a specially fine musical program.

The Centre Stars were victorious on Saturday afternoon when they went to Andover and defeated the Andover Crescents in an interesting game of baseball by the score of 6 to 3. Next Saturday the local team play a Lawrence team. On Decoration day they meet the Ramblers.

The Musical Hearts, as they have popularly called themselves, will conduct another Leap Year party on next Friday evening in the Unitarian hall at the Centre. This is the second party conducted under their auspices this spring. The first one was voted a great success by all those in attendance. The Musical Hearts will furnish music for the affair.

That Beautiful Gloss comes from the varnish in Devco's Varnish Floor Paint; costs 5 cents more a quart though. Sold by E. M. & W. A. Allen.

WILL TAKE AS STATE HIGHWAY.

The board of selectmen received notification on Monday that the Massachusetts Highway Commission will take charge of, as a state highway, about one quarter of a mile of road, a part of Massachusetts avenue from Carney's corner to a point at about where the Methuen and North Andover car line stops in Phillips square. The exact length of road to be constructed is 1139.20 feet. The total width will be 60 feet. The notification was placed on file May 23rd in Town Clerk James W. Leitch's office.

ENTERTAINED DEGREE STAFF.

Mrs. E. Eugene Hosmer entertained the members of the degree staff of Crystal Rebekah lodge of Lawrence on Thursday evening at the home on Osgood street.

JUNIOR ENDEAVORER'S SUPPER.

On Wednesday evening the Junior Christian Endeavorers partook of a bounteous repast served to them in the vestries of the Congregational church. The supper was given as a closing event of a very prosperous season with the young people. The weekly meetings of the society through the cooler seasons have been in every way successful.

The young people enjoyed the feast given in their honor immensely and who can say but that the ladies who made the arrangements for and served the supper enjoyed it every bit, as much as the young people.

Rev. Dr. B. sat at the head of one of the tables and offered grace as the children stood with bowed down heads. The supper was a very satisfying one and the participants partook of the good things with a will. The menu included: chicken, ham, cake, fancy cookies, chocolate, whipped cream, chocolate and ice cream of three varieties. The supper was served between the hours of 6.30 and 7.30 o'clock. The committee of ladies in charge of the affair should feel greatly pleased, at its decided success. The ladies were: Mrs. William Halliday, Mrs. James W. Leitch, Mrs. Oscar Godfrey, Mrs. Geo. Matheson, Mrs. G. A. Marston, Mrs. William Fernald and Mrs. A. W. Badger. The ladies were assisted in serving the chocolate and cream by Town Clerk James W. Leitch, Engineer A. W. Badger and William Halliday. The latter carved.

At 8 o'clock a very goodly number of older people, the parents and invited friends, were present to enjoy the entertainment by the young people. Mrs. William Howes planned and arranged for this part of the evening, but because of illness was unable to take charge. Mrs. Halliday took her place. The entertainment was a decidedly novel one. Twenty-six of the young people took part. Miss Grace L. Barker acted as grandmother. The feature was the surprising of grandmas. Songs were sung and short recitations given. Piano selections were also rendered as an entertainment for grandmas. Miss Barker was in costume. Her grand children crowned her with a wreath of flowers and after going through a drill showered her with bouquets. Miss Maud M. Howes acted as accompanist. Miss Charlotte Godfrey and Miss Marion Fernald led the march.

The parts were taken as follows in the surprise party: Miss Barker, grandma; Ruth Charlotte Godfrey, Flora; Florence Lake, Clara; Mabel Matheson, Ida; Pauline Fernald; Eva, Gertrude; Harry, Harold March; Martha, Martha Gage; Harriett, Harriett Smith; Edna, Ruth Hamilton; Frank, Arthur Kempf; Charles, Franklin Roberts; Mary, Evelyn Gibson; Annie, Gertrude Badger; and Helen, Mildred Ellis. The sisters were: Mary Wornald, Marion Fernald and Marion Matheson, Franklin Roberts was a brother.

The ushers at the entertainment were: Gardner Carney, Ralph Currier, Gordon Currier and George Rextraw.

The children of the society are the following: Gardner Carney, William Nelson, Mildred Ellis, Myra Kelley, Gertrude Badger, Franklin Roberts, Clarence Dumbur, George Matheson, Helen Bailey, Leola Frisley, Edward Bedell, Helen Bedell, Bertha Carr, Frederick McPherson, Harry McPherson, Kenneth Mozen, Elizabeth Randle, Hans Christensen, Elizabeth Craig, Florence Currier, Pauline Fernald, Marion Fernald, Ralph Langworthy, Ralph Bradley, Ethel Page, Florence Lake, Lucy Lake, Lettie Anderson, Ida Southerbutts, Ruth Hamilton, Burnham, Marion Matheson, Harriett Smith, Amy Smith, Rudolph Kempf, Arthur Kempf, Ada Watts, Edna Watts, Hugh Stewart, Adeline Stewart, Gordon Currier, Ralph Currier, Ethel Currier, George Rextraw, Hattie McPherson, Mary Wornald, Marion Fernald, Evelyn Gibson, Lizzie Fuller, Rosie Fuller, Florence Kempf, Margaret Stewart, Harold Murch, Helena Phillips, Lena Smith, Gertrude Mozen, Lillian Mahar, Charles Thompson, James Thompson, John Nelson, Gertrude Roberts, Inez Marston, Charlotte Godfrey, Donald Thompson, Agnes Godfrey, Corabelle Hanson and Mabel Matheson.

VACATION RESORTS IN NEW ENGLAND.

After the severe and protracted siege of winter weather, predictions are rife for a very warm summer; and the thousands of vacationists who annually migrate to the seashore, the country and the mountains are perhaps planning, at any rate thinking, of their haunts for 1904. New England, the stamming ground, the borders of summer visitors flock to every year. The farmhouses are prepared for company after the middle of May; the shore resorts get ready in June, and by the last of June, or the first of July, the mountains are welcoming guests. Maine has both coast and inland vacationing grounds. New Hampshire has a short but scenic section of sea coast; but the famous White Mountains and Lakes Winnepesaukee and Sunapee are within her borders. Vermont claims the renowned Champlain, Memphremagog and Willoughby, and Massachusetts asks no favors with her pleasant valleys and impressive mountain ranges.

All of this vacation territory is described and pictured in the literature published by the Boston & Maine Railroad's Passenger Department. Boston. The six beautiful portfolios, Lakes, Rivers, Seashore, Mountains, Picturesque, and the Charles River to the Hudson, contain beautiful half-tone reproductions and any of these books will be mailed upon receipt of six cents, or the entire set for thirty-six cents.

The descriptive booklets, thirteen in number, containing interesting and instructive reading matter concerning the various sections will be mailed upon receipt of two cents for each book, or twenty-six cents for the entire set. They comprise "Lakes and Streams," "All Along Shore," "Valley of the Connecticut and Northern Vermont," "Lake Sunapee," "South-east New Hampshire," "South-west New Hampshire," "Monadnock Region," "Hoosac Country, and Deerfield Valley," "Merrimack Valley," "Central Massachusetts," "Lake Memphremagog," "Among the Mountains," and "Fishing and Hunting," with an additional booklet giving the fish and game laws of Northern New England and Canada. The "Bird's Eye View of the White Mountains," a handsome colored map, showing the numerous ravines and peaks as viewed from the summit of Mount Washington will be mailed upon receipt of six cents in stamps. 4-221-11

CRICKET RESULTS.

The following are the results in Saturday's cricket games in which local teams took part:

Brocktons 88; Merrimacks 59.
Lawrence 80; East Boston 59.

SAD DEATH.

The death of Charles E. Shackleton occurred on Monday morning at the Lawrence General hospital.

He entered the institution some weeks ago for treatment and underwent a surgical operation.

The operation was thought to have been successful and the patient was gaining until a few days since when a change for the worse took place.

The deceased was born in Lawrence the only child of Edward and Hattie A. (Whittier) Shackleton, and he was a descendant of the same family to which the Quaker poet belonged.

His age was 17 years, three months and two days.

He was truly generous-hearted, polite, manly and always good-natured, and was admired and esteemed by both old and young.

His respected parents, who are well-nigh heart-broken over the terrible blow, have the deepest sympathy of the community.

The young man was an attendant of the Congregational Sunday school. The funeral will be held from the home on Maple avenue on Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock with interment in Ridgewood cemetery.

The funeral of Mrs. Bridget Gibney took place this morning from St. Michael's church at 9 o'clock. The Rev. Fr. Gallagher officiated.

On Sunday morning she died at her home, 4 School street.

She entered into eternal rest fortified by the last rites of the Catholic church, of which she was a devoted member.

The venerable woman received every attention and care during an extended illness from her sister, Mrs. Murty O'Donnell, with whom she resided for a long time.

The deceased first came to this country 56 years ago from her native place, Donegal, Ireland, and lived in North Andover, the major part of that period.

"Auntie," as Mrs. Gibney was affectionately known by the townsfolk during her abode in North Andover, was a charitable, kindly and industrious woman, whose good life won for her the highest respect of old and young.

Interment was made in the cemetery of the Holy Sepulchre. The remains rested in a casket of black broadcloth with silver trimmings. There was a large attendance of relatives and friends at the rites.

LOCAL Y. M. C. A. WON.

The ball team of the local Young Men's Catholic association defeated very handsly the team from Lawrence, representing the Young Men's Catholic association of that city. The game was played on the Tavern lot on Saturday afternoon before a good sized crowd. The final score was 18 to 13. Craig of Lawrence umpired the game. McGrady pitched gilt edged ball for the locals giving only three bases on balls and making 17 strikeouts. The pitchers of the opposing team were not as successful. Quigley made six strikeouts and Shine one. The former man gave seven bases on balls and the latter men four. George Campbell, catcher for the home team made a pretty home run. Hughie Costello secured a three bagger.

Next Saturday the Y. M. C. A. go to Ballardvale where they meet the town team.

The lineups on Saturday were: Lawrence Y. M. C. A.—Bradley and Shine, ss; Shine p, Quigley p, John Finnigan 2b, Jos. Finnigan cf, Landers c, Craig 1b, Driscoll 1b, Gately rf, and O'Brien lf.

North Andover Y. M. C. A.—G. Campbell c, McGrady p, Bolton 1b, Captain Healey and Burns 2b, J. Campbell ss, Costello 3b, Davis rf, Welch cf, and Willis lf.

The score by innings was:

No. A. Y. M. C. A. 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9—18
Law. Y. M. C. A. 0 0 0 2 0 5 0 2 3—13

MR. BURKE FOR SUPERINTENDENT.

The Boston Herald says:

It is expected that the special committee of the school board appointed to report suitable candidates for the position of superintendent and for membership on the board of supervisors, for the term beginning Sept. 1, 1904, will be ready to report to the school board next Tuesday evening.

For several years the nomination of Supt. Seaver has received opposition, but he has been re-elected each year. About four years ago his nomination was put off until August, when, at a special meeting of the board, he was re-elected. The rules require that the superintendent and the supervisors shall be elected in the month of June every two years, but the obstructionists at times have managed to secure delays.

The supervisors who were on the board two years ago were Ellis Peterson, Robert C. Metcalf, George H. Martin, George H. Conley, Walter S. Parker and Sarah L. Arnold. Messrs. Peterson, Metcalf and Martin and Miss Arnold resigned, leaving Messrs. Conley and Parker on the present board. The unexpired terms were filled by the election of Elmer S. Carle, Stratford, D. Brooks, Maurice P. White and Jeremiah E. Burke. These are the present supervisors, and their names will be before the school board for reelection, as will also that of Supt. Seaver, notwithstanding the opposition evident at the meeting of the special nominating committee Friday night.

In connection with the election of Mr. Burke as supervisor a few weeks ago, it has been stated that his friends favor his election as superintendent of the Boston schools after he shall have served his two years as supervisor. He was superintendent of schools in Marlboro and at Lawrence, and is considered to be especially qualified for the position of superintendent. Mr. Burke was elected for the unexpired term of Mr. Martin, who resigned last spring and the terms of all the supervisors will date from next September. It is stated on reliable authority that Principal Augustine L. Rafter of the Martin grammar school, who was a candidate for supervisor, when Mr. Burke was elected, is not a candidate for superintendent of schools, although his name has been used in that connection. The salary of superintendent is \$6000, and that of each of the supervisors \$3750 a year.

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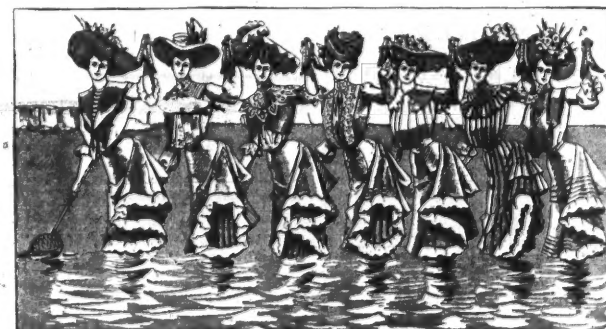
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PROBATE COURT SESSION.

Probate court was held in Newburyport Monday forenoon Judge Harmon presiding. The following business was transacted:

Wills proved—Tammy B. Peabody, Newbury, Samuel S. Peabody, executor; Annie L. Washburn, Haverhill, Isaac E. Washburn, executor; James Forter, West Newbury, Daniel Coomes, executor.

Administrations granted—Egbert C. Smyth, Andover, Newman Smyth, administrator; Howard F. Currier, Amesbury, Mary J. Currier, administratrix; Charles H. Crimmin, Haverhill; Dianna B. Pressey, Newburyport, Thomas J. Pressey, administratrix; Benjamin F. Gove, Seabrook, John L. Ciley, administrator; Richard Barrett, West Newbury, Mary E. Barrett, administratrix; Emily Ballou, Newburyport, Joseph W. Ballou, administrator; Sarkis Margosian, Newburyport, Kirkor S. Bannian, administrator; Elise Kuhl, Newburyport, Karl Castlehum, administrator; Lucy A. Jackson, Newburyport, David W. Jackson, administrator.

Hearings were held in case of Mary L. Ellery, petitioner vs. Walter L. Ellery, for separate maintenance, in which decision was reserved. George E. Blodgett for the petitioner and Robert E. Burke for the defendant.

Another hearing was held on the petition of Mrs. Nils Erickson for guardianship of her deceased daughter's child at the time of hearing in the custody of Richard G. Kelso, his father. Robert E. Burke appeared for the petitioner and T. S. Herby for the respondent.

Dotted mohair remnants for shirt waist suits, 40c per yard, at Farr's Remnant store, 38 Appleton street, Lawrence.

Death.

In San Francisco, Cal., May 9, at the King's Daughters' Home, Caroline E. Curtis, a native of Andover, Mass., aged 78 years, 1 month and 17 days.

Weather Record.

Temperature taken in the morning between 5 and 7 o'clock and at noon between 12 and 1 o'clock.

1903	Morn.	Noon.	1904	Morn.	Noon.
May 20	64	92	May 20	52	74
" 21	58	88	" 21	56	74
" 22	62	84	" 22	54	78
" 23	48	67	" 23	54	78
" 24	40	70	" 24	62	82
" 25	40	70	" 25	58	80
" 26	38	73	" 26	62	80

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